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SUSPICIOUS.

PRACTICE WITH GUN

Japanese Active at Point Duma.

Excitement in Homestead District Over Maneuvers of the Brown Men.

Seven Foreigners Caught in Act of Making Maps of the Cliffs.

Discovered Intent on Range Firing With Small Pivot Cannon.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 12.—On an unfrequented bluff which marks the northern limit of Santa Monica Bay, a party of seven Japanese, with a small cannon in their possession, have been for several days past engaged in experiments that have aroused the suspicions of settlers in the homestead district.

The news of their operations, which reached here tonight, has created much excitement, particularly as it is known that a part of the American battleship fleet will remain several days in the waters enclosed by Point Duma, where the party of Japanese have been making their headquarters.

Jack U. Henry, a capitalist of Santa Monica, returned tonight from his ranch in the Malibu country, and brought with him the first authentic news concerning the intruders.

From a Mexican who came upon the seven foreigners unexpectedly, Mr. Henry declares that he learned of their having been engaged in making maps of the cliffs along the crescent-shaped bay.

Their evident anxiety to escape observation, he said, drew upon them the careful observation of several of the settlers, who found them, on one occasion, in possession of a small pivot ... which, mounted on a cliff 125 feet above the water, was being fired first in one direction and then in another.

The Japanese, unaware that they were being watched, seemed interested in determining the range of the little piece of artillery, which threw missiles over a mile from the shore. The gun was operated with smokeless powder.

There is not even a theory as to the purpose of the party, but the presence of witnesses evidently discouraged their experiments, and four of them, all described as well dressed and of intelligent appearance, left on a car for Los Angeles tonight. The remaining three are presumed to be guarding the pivot gun at Point Duma.

WILL SEEK MODERN CRUSOE.

Admiral Evans to Be Ordered to Visit Galapagos Islands to Find Stranded American.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—A man by the name of Jeffs, and whose home is said to have been in Connecticut, is believed to be stranded on one of the Galapagos, or tortoise islands, situated on the west coast of South America. A prominent person from Connecticut interested in Jeffs's case, has written to the department asking that one of the vessels of Admiral Evans's fleet stop at the islands on their way from Callao, Peru, to Magdalena Bay, and make a search for him.

According to the information at hand, Jeffs is thought to be on the island of Santa Cruz, which also bears the name of Indefatigable, but definite data about him is lacking. Requests made heretofore that an American warship search for the man had to be refused because there were no ships in that part of the world.

This time, however, one will stop, and orders with that end in view will be given to Admiral Evans before he leaves Callao.

A supply ship, or the repair ship accompanying the battleships, will conduct the search. There is a lighthouse on one of the islands, which are said to be now nearly unpeopled.

ROMANCE CULMINATES.

Los Angeles Man Weds Cincinnati Girl Whose Heart He Won at a Concert.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CINCINNATI (O.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The marriage today, in the Church of the Ascension, of Miss Mamye C. Dowling, a pianist, and J. A. Stermer, fruit merchant of Los Angeles and a violinist, brought to light that the principals first met at a concert, in which both played in Cincinnati, four years ago.

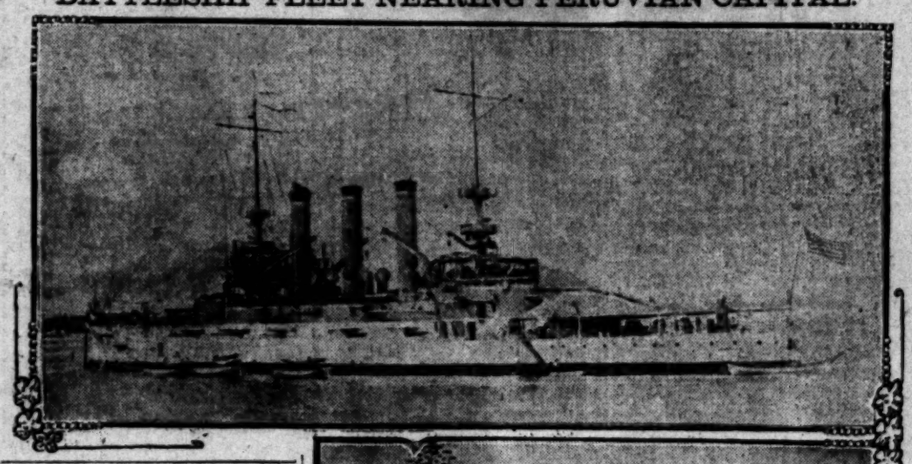
The wedding march from Lohengrin was one of the selections, and when Miss Dowling asked Mr. Stermer what number of the programme he liked best he said the piece suggestive of little cupids, hearts and arrows, of course.

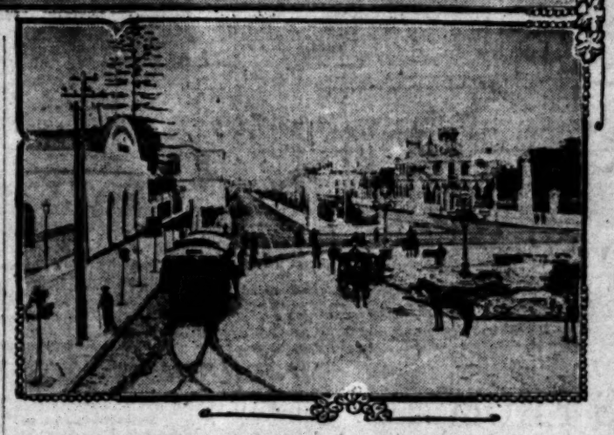
She agreed and the pair are still of the same belief. They will live in Los Angeles.

TEACHERS' PAY RAISED.

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—The Chicago Board of Education has voted to increase the salary of every teacher in the Chicago elementary schools. From $25 to $100 was added to the annual pay of each teacher, the new salaries to date back six weeks from January 1. The action of the board will affect approximately 5500 of the 6000 teachers in the city schools.

BATTLESHIP FLEET NEARING PERUVIAN CAPITAL.





The Virginia and Street Scene in Lima,

the capital of Peru, where Admiral Evans and his officers and men will be royally entertained. The battleship Virginia, one of the most splendid vessels of the fleet, is shown under full speed.

APPENDICITIS.

MINING ENGINEER UNDER KNIFE.

JOHN H. HAMMOND OPERATED UPON FOR APPENDICITIS.

Expert Is Said to Have Rallied Satisfactorily and to Have Every Chance for Speedy Recovery—To Be Brought Back to Santa Barbara from San Francisco.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—John Hays Hammond, the mining engineer, was operated on this morning for chronic appendicitis, in his apartments at the Fairmont Hotel, this city.

Tonight, according to a statement given out by his secretary, he is resting easy, and there is every chance for his speedy recovery.

Mr. Hammond came to San Francisco from Santa Barbara three days ago. He has been spending the winter in the southern resort with his family. He was stricken with appendicitis some weeks ago, but it was thought that he might be able to recover without an operation until a few days ago, when it was decided to bring him to this city and have the operation performed.

As soon as he is well enough to stand the trip, Mr. Hammond will be taken South again. The operation was in every way successful, and unless complications set in there is no danger.

MRS. FISH SETS NEW STYLE.

Wife of Ex-Chief of Illinois Central Wears Diamond Ornament to Fasten Furs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] People who thought that Stuyvesant Fish was seeking that Illinois Central job because he needed the money have twenty minutes to think again, for—hist! Mrs. Stuyvesant Fish again appears as arbiter and molder of fashion.

When Mrs. Fish arrived at the Plaza yesterday she wore a long cloak of broad-tail fastened by a diamond ornament of great size. Except for these gems there was no dash of color to relieve the costume.

In a flash this innovation sunk deep into the hearts of other women and the way in which jewels were quickly shifted after Mrs. Fish had been seen seemed to indicate that in future gems will not hide their light under fur cloaks.

WEDDING GOWN ARRIVES.

Papa Shonts Promptly Pays $300 Duty on Gown for Daughter Brought by Duke's Sister.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The gown which Miss Theodora Shonts will wear at her wedding to the Duc de Chaulnes et de Picquigny has arrived from Paris at the Shonts home, it was learned today, and Mr. Shonts had to pay $300 duty, or 60 per cent. on it. It cost $500 at Worth's, Paris.

The gown arrived yesterday in one of the trunks of the Duchess d'Uzes, the sister of the Duc de Chaulnes. When her trunks were examined at the pier the customs officers discovered the gown, found Worth's name on it, and placed a valuation of $500 on it. There was not the least objection raised as to the amount of duty and Mr. Shonts promptly paid the $300.

FORGERS CAUGHT.

Had Plans to Flood Los Angeles and Other Cities With Bogus Checks.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PITTSBURGH, (Pa.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Otto Venderhelt, alias Charles B. Fletcher, and Howard Wasson, alias Mitchell, were arrested for passing forged checks. In their rooms were found rubber stamps and plans for working various cities including San Francisco and Los Angeles. They had already flooded Washington, D. C., with clever forgeries.

CROKER WANTS CASH.

Will Ask Fifty Thousand Dollars Damages for Criticisms of Turf and Political Careers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is understood Richard Croker will ask $50,000 damages in the suit he has ordered his lawyers to bring against the Manchester Sporting Chronicle for its criticism of his turf and political careers.

The attorneys are already drafting his bill of complaint.

The Chronicle is understood to be disposed to resist the action. Witnesses must be brought from New York.

SUPREME COURT JUSTICES FEAR BEING BURIED ALIVE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON (Mass.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The possibility of premature burial has so alarmed two Justices of the Supreme Court of the United States that they have engaged Dr. John Dixwell of Harvard University to guarantee that they shall not meet that fate.

The fact and the statement that two persons out of every thousand are buried alive was brought out in testimony given by Dr. Dixwell before the legislative Committee on Legal Affairs today. The committee has been asked to report a bill making proof of death compulsory, as there is no such law in Massachusetts now.

Dr. Dixwell also told the committee that many years ago he was himself pronounced dead by distinguished physicians and barely escaped a horrible fate. Numerous terrifying instances were cited by the witness in urging the necessity of the proposed law.

Dr. Dixwell gave no clew to the identity of the two judges to whom he referred. Justice Oliver W. Holmes and William H. Moody are the only two from Massachusetts.

"The horror exists as a fact and it can't be disputed," said Dr. Dixwell. "I have two Judges of the Supreme Court of the United States whom I promised I should see they should not be buried alive. I recall a case at the General Hospital of a women sent there with bronchitis. After a time it was decided that she was dead, and she was sent to the morgue. There she suddenly woke up and is alive today."

MORE TROUBLE.

TWO EDITORS AGAIN ARRESTED.

TEVIS SWEARS TO ADDITIONAL LIBEL COMPLAINTS.

Bakersfield Sheriff Makes Night Trip to San Francisco and Apprehends Older and Crothers—Accusation Based on Criticism of Appellate Court Decision.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William S. Tevis, late last evening, swore to two additional complaints charging Fremont Older and R. A. Crothers with criminal libel. The warrants were placed in Sheriff Kelly's hands and that official, making a night trip to San Francisco, placed the two editors under arrest today.

The first article complained of was published in the Bulletin on September 19, and, it is alleged, was printed with intent to injure and defame W. S. Tevis and to impeach his honesty and integrity, to expose him to contempt, hatred and ridicule. The offending passage is:

"It's a lucky thing Will Tevis has plenty of money. If he hadn't, Ruef, in his own familiar figure, would have eaten the paint off his house, when that honest young capitalist was trying to saddle the bay cities water plant on suffering San Francisco through wholesale bribery."

The article on which the second complaints are made is of more recent date, January 16, in commenting on the decision of the Appellate Court in the Schmitz case.

KICKED BY A HORSE.

LEAD (S. D.) Feb. 12.—From the kick of a horse received over a week ago, George W. Glover, son of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, the Christian Science leader, is suffering with paralysis of one leg, that threatens to become permanent.

Glover is a man past middle age but has always been very active. The horse kicked him on the right leg and reopened an old gunshot wound received in the civil war. Since then Glover has lost the use of the limb and surgeons fear he will never regain it.

GREAT TREASURE.

BIG GOLD FIND EXCITES NOME.

SAID TO BE RICHEST PAY EVER STRUCK IN ALASKA.

Discovery Made on Lakeview Claim Near Fort Davis, One Mile from the Beach, Is Reported to Run an Average of Forty Dollars to Pan With Some Enormous Yields.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A cable from Nome, Alaska, says the richest pay ever struck in Alaska, as far as known, has just been found on Lakeview claim, on the Tundra near Fort Davis. It is richer than the famous Bessie Bench.

Gold taken from ground on Lakeview averages $40 to the pan, with exceptional pans that yield enormous pay. Lakeview is operated by Niebhur & Co. The pay streak is fifty feet wide. The average makes such a showing that Nome, used to big strikes, is excited.

The strike has caused lively interest in ground east of Fort Davis. Indications are that a prophecy made by geologists that pay would be found many miles east of Nome and at a considerable distance from the ocean beach, will be fulfilled.

The strike is located a mile and a half east of Nome, and a mile from the beach.

In the best places on the Bessie claim more than $1000 per pan was realized.

DOORS ARE CLOSED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—The State Bank Commissioners took charge today of the Bank of Greater San Francisco, a small institution on Market street, near Seventh, of which C. H. Pool is president and manager.

The commissioners say the institution has ample resources to pay all of its indebtedness, but it is thought best to close up its affairs at this time.

The capital stock of the institution is $27,000. It has deposits to the amount of $22,420. The commissioners believe they can collect $13,000 on the bank's securities at once, and it has $7000 cash on hand.

The total indebtedness against the bank, including deposits, amounts to but $23,870.

MUSTN'T CUSS ON RAILWAYS.

New Rules of Pennsylvania System Shock and Surprise Hardened Employees.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WILMINGTON (Del.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Pennsylvania Railroad Company does not allow its employés to curse.

Today a new set of rules was posted in the shops of the company in Wilmington declaring that profane language shall not be used by the men while at work. No specific penalty is set for this, but it is generally understood that violations will be punished by the infliction of at least an enforced vacation.

This code of morality, which came as a surprise, is not received kindly by the 1500 employés here. The same rules are being posted throughout the Pennsylvania system.

CAPITULATES.

WOMAN GIVES UP OLD FORT.

SURRENDERS ALAMO AFTER DAYS WITHOUT FOOD.

Miss Adima de Zavalo, Whose Grandfather Died for Post She Held, Yields in Determination to Keep Structure for Her Faction of Daughters of Republic.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN ANTONIO (Tex.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Miss Adima de Zavalo, who stood siege for three days without food or water in the old Alamo, the historical fort in which Bowie lost his life, has capitulated to the State.

The forces of Sheriff Tobin, who yesterday tried to capture the fort, are still encamped on the plaza. Her attorneys said tonight she would leave tomorrow morning and turn the fort over, as ordered by the court.

Earlier she declared she would starve before she would surrender. "My grandfather died for this fort, and I will die rather than give it up," she said.

Miss de Zavalo was formerly president of the Daughters of the Republic. The organization split in two factions over the fight for possession of the Alamo, in which Miss de Zavalo's grandfather, Gen. de Zavalo, fought for the freedom of Texas.

It was recently proposed to sell the Alamo, but Miss de Zavalo refused to permit this. Every effort was made to drive her from the fort, but the courageous young woman defeated both the forces of Sheriff Tobin and Gov. Caspello. This placed her in contempt of court.

The Governor today sent the State superintendent of buildings and grounds to San Antonio to induce her to vacate the building, and it was to him that she agreed to yield it.

LIFE'S WORK.

MRS. M'DONALD TO BE A NURSE.

WILL DEVOTE LIFE TO HELPING CHILDREN.

After Trip to Palestine, Chicago Woman Just Acquitted of Charge of Murder Will Enter Hospital of Daughters of American Revolution to Be Built Next Summer.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With her acquittal on the charge of murdering Webster Guerin came a declaration from Mrs. Dora McDonald today that she would devote the remainder of her life to nursing and helping children in need.

After a trip to Palestine with her mother, Mrs. Frances Feldman, she will don the garb of a nurse and enter the hospital of the Daughters of the American Revolution, to be built next summer on the West Side. The announcement is a surprise to her friends, but Mrs. McDonald declared she had made her plans two weeks ago. The hospital is to be for maternity cases, and one of the wards is to be named the "Dora McDonald Ward."

Mrs. Warren Springer is at the head of the hospital project, and it is expected that the building will be completed by the time Mrs. McDonald returns from Palestine. She declared that a chance to serve as a nurse for children would make her happier than she had ever been, and that as soon as she regained her health she would be ready to begin such work.

Mrs. McDonald's face lighted up as she discussed her future plans and ambitions while seated in her room at the Sherman House, where friends were congratulating her on her acquittal.

GAS EXPLODES IN HOTEL.

BERKELEY, Feb. 12.—A terrific explosion of gas in the basement of the fashionable Berkeley Inn, at Bancroft and Telegraph avenues, this morning, caused great damage to the establishment and severely injured William Wiley, a brother of Mrs. M. P. Ray. In addition to having his hair and eyebrows singed off, Wiley had his face and hands badly blistered, and it may be that he will lose his sight. It is thought that the explosion was caused by gas, which had escaped, becoming ignited when Wiley attempted to light the furnace.

SNELL'S AMOURS.

LAWYERS BLUSH.

Letters Show Utter Depravity.

Aged Col. Snell Received Two Thousand Love Missives.

Preacher's Wife Offered to Sell Her Young Daughter.

Protestations of Affection Accompany Demands for Money.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLINTON (Ill.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The climax in the most sensational will contest ever heard in a western court came today, when letters written to the late Col. Thomas Snell, whose $2,000,000 estate is at stake, were read in court.

In the closing years of his life Col. Snell developed an amazing penchant for pretty girls. In a few years he spent $175,000 upon his women admirers. During the last few years of the old man's life he received something like 2000 love letters. These women apparently wrote the old man and in endearing terms only for his money alone.

Hundreds of letters were so fervent in tone, and showed such utter depravity, that even hardened lawyers blushed as they read them, and attorneys on both sides were compelled to reach an agreement as to the ones which should be read in court. The least fervid were read to the jury today.

PASTOR'S WIFE'S LETTERS.

The principal letters read this afternoon were written by Mrs. Laura Hamilton, wife of the Rev. E. A. Hamilton, at one time a Methodist clergyman at Clinton. It developed earlier in the trial that Mrs. Hamilton, with her husband's permission, or at least with his knowledge, induced the old millionaire to buy a house and lot in Decatur, Ill., for the use of the clergyman and his family.

It developed today that Mrs. Hamilton even went so far as to offer to sell her fourteen-year-old daughter to the old man for $400. The letter in which she made this offer follows:

"My Darling Sweetheart, my Dearest Sweetheart and Best Darling: I have read your letter with great joy. My husband thinks the world of you. I thank you so much for sending Pet the $20 for her birthday. Darling, Pet has such a hard time. We have so little to give the poor child. Darling, you will help me out with her and her education, won't you?

"Pet will and must love you. My husband and I will see that she loves you. You are her sweetheart, and as a Christian woman I will give you my word that she will love you. My husband says Pet must and will be your sweetheart. He will tell her to write you a nice, long, sweet letter. I will get Pet to do everything for you to make you happy. You must and will have her for your very own. She shall be yours. Let us three take a trip together. . . .

"I got your check for $100. It was sweet in you, but please, darling, give us $400 more. We need it for the first payment on our house. I don't believe you will refuse me, darling. Please send me the money, my heavenly sweetheart. Five hundred dollars is not much money to you. You can't refuse me, can you, dear? Please send me $400 more. It will kill me if I can't buy that house. Please, darling, $400 more. Think of our divine love. I love you so much, and I will give you the dear child for yours if you send $400 in the next letter. I won't sleep until I get your reply. Your Own Sweetheart."

TO POSE AS RELATIVE.

In another letter, Mrs. Hamilton wrote:

"Pet will be here Sunday, come then. You must see the little girl before she goes to school. Pet loves you I know. No one here will suspect anything. They will think you are my uncle. I want some money before you go away for I haven't a cent. Darling, please, please help me, help send Pet to school and you shall have everything you want on earth. Bye, bye, your own true darling."

Perhaps the missive containing the most ardent protestations, was the following:

"I love you more than my husband. You must be good to me. My husband loves you and wants me to make you happy. He is perfectly willing for me to make you happy and do everything on earth you want. I am wild for you all the time. It would kill me if you did not love me. . . . Don't stay away darling; we must be together more. You know I want you to buy me a house in Decatur and then, my husband says, we can all be together."

At another time Mrs. Hamilton warned Snell to secrecy, and added: "You ought to give me all the money I want because I love you so. Don't forget to fix your will. Don't leave a cent to certain people—you know who. Leave me something. I am crazy over you and you ought to give me all the money I want."

LOVE AND MONEY.

Again Mrs. Hamilton would write in a religious tone, but always protesting

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POLITICAL.

OVATION FOR OHIO'S SON.

Great Taft Demonstration at Grand Rapids.

Secretary Compelled to Shake Hands for Hours.

Three Receptions and Big Meeting at Night.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

GRAND RAPIDS, (Mich.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Taft's visit to Grand Rapids developed into a tremendous ovation. Everywhere he was cheered as the next President of the United States. He had three public receptions while here and for hours was compelled to stand and shake the hands of the hundreds who insisted on meeting him.

A mob was collected around the station when he alighted from his train. Part of it followed his carriage on the run to the Morton Hotel. Another crowd was packed in the hotel corridors. Another was stacked up in the streets outside. There was cheering wherever he appeared.

Every five minutes some enthusiast would call for "three cheers for the next President," and his wish would be gratified in each instance with great promptness.

Of course it was only a coincidence that a Lincoln-day banquet occasion should be seized upon as the day of all others for about every Republican political body in the State of Michigan to visit Grand Rapids. The Republican State Central Committee happened to meet here today.

By another coincidence, the State League of Republican Clubs was holding its annual meeting here.

A quorum of the Legislature and of the constitutional convention could have been assembled within half an hour.

Secretary Taft's first reception was at the Morton House, where for two hours he shook hands with men and women who waited in line for a chance. Then he was hustled into a carriage and taken to the hall where the Republican League was in session. The league suspended all business to hear the Secretary make a few remarks. Then the delegates sang a song of which the chorus went like this:

"Hail, hail, the nominee,
What the h—l do we care.
What the h—l do we care.
Hail, hail the nominee.
What the h—l do you care, Bill?"

From the league meeting, the Secretary went back to the hotel to meet another reception. Then came the big meeting at night. All of which tends to indicate that Michigan folks think a great deal of Secretary Taft.

Th speakers at tonght's meeting were Ambassador Jusserand, Congressman George Edmund Foss, Secretary of War Taft, Gov. Curtis Guild, Jr., of Massachusetts, and Director John Barrett of the Bureau of South American Republics.

Although all the speakers were greeted with enthusiasm it was Secretary Taft who received the greatest outburst of applause. It continued for several minutes before he could begin his address.

Secretary Taft, after expressing the belief that Lincoln would have approved the Philippine policy of the Republican party, recounted the progress made in gradually extending self government to the people of the Philippines as they become better and better politically educated. Said he:

"Would Abraham Lincoln have dissented from this policy, of step by step leading the people on to an understanding of the responsibilities of self-government and familiarity with its difficulties?

"We have introduced into the islands all the constitutional guarantees under the Federal constitution, except the right to bear arms and the right to serve on juries, for both of which as yet the civilization of the people is entirely unfit, but we have given them, and they are now enjoying, the right to life, liberty and property and the pursuit of happiness and freedom from deprivation from any of those rights except by due process of law. We have given them a judicial system in the impartiality and efficiency of which they have every confidence. Would Lincoln have dissented from this?

"During the administration of Theodore Roosevelt, our influence as a world power has exceeded anything before in history. We have done more toward bringing about the peace of the world than any power in this century. Under these circumstances, is there room for doubt that Abraham Lincoln would have approved the policy of McKinley and Roosevelt in maintaining our possession as a world power, in increasing the size of our navy so that when we do intervene in international affairs we exercise an influence commensurate with our greatness as a nation.

"Finally, can there be any doubt where Lincoln would have stood in the issues which peculiarly distinguished the administration of Theodore Roosevelt? I refer to the struggle which he and his administration has made for elimination from our business and political fabric of corrupting influences of theu nlawful business combinations and the demoralizing influence of disobedience to law by our great railroad and transportation companies.

"We may know with certainty that cannot brook contradiction, that in the struggle to make all business lawful, to take away from great corporations the illegal privileges and immunities that official investigations have shown in many instances to prevail, Lincoln would have made the same good fight which has endeared Roosevelt to the same plain people of the country who upheld the hands of the martyred President through all the great trials of his administration."

BILL PASSES SENATE.

PRIMARY ELECTION FOR OHIO.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

COLUMBUS (O.) Feb. 12.—The Senate today, by unanimous vote, passed the Huffman primary election bill, which provides for compulsory direct primaries for the nomination of candidates for county and municipal offices. Candidates for all district and State offices may be nominated by direct primary or by delegate conventions, as the controlling party committees may determine.

Primaries for the selection of candidates and delegates must be held by all parties simultaneously on the first Tuesday after the first Monday in September of each year, except in Presidential years, when they may be held in May.

The bill goes to the House.

Torpedo Flotilla's Progress.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The supply ship and tender for the torpedo boat flotilla, the Arethusa has sailed from Punta Arenas for Talcahuano, the next stopping place of the flotilla.

COMMISSIONERS FROM PHILIPPINES TO SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

Pablo Ocampo (on the right) and Benite Legardo.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Pablo Ocampo and Benito Legardo, resident commissioners of the Philippine Assembly to the United States, were introduced to the leaders of the House and Senate by Secretary of War Taft and assigned seats in the House.

Although elected by a native assembly which works in harmony with a Republican administration, the Filipinos were given seats on the back row of the Democrat side and smiled benignly when told where they were located.

Granting of floor privileges to the resident commissioners from the Philippines was accomplished in the House by a resolution from the Committee on Ways and Means. This resolution gave them the privileges of the floor of the House, as they have in the Senate, with the right of debate, but with no places on committees. They have not the right to vote or introduce bills.

Messrs. Legardo and Ocampo are the only representatives in the lower house of Congress who are not directly elected by the people they represent. They were chosen by the Philippine Assembly, which was elected by Filipinos, and are therefore elected more after the manner of Senators than Representatives in the United States.

Legardo was formerly a native member of the Philippine Commission and speaks English, while Ocampo is the member of Congress who neither speaks nor understands English.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A snow and ice-melting southern breeze was again in evidence today, keeping things slushy under foot, also a little rain was contributed completing the unpleasant features of a January thaw in February. The weather man promised snow for tomorrow. The maximum temperature today was 50, the minimum 33 deg. above. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	34	28
Bismarck	28	18
Cairo	54	48
Cheyenne	46	38
Cincinnati	58	42
Cleveland	52	38
Concordia	48	36
Davenport	54	38
Denver	34	26
Des Moines	48	38
Detroit	36	30
Devil's Lake	30	26
Dodge City	56	34
Dubuque	52	36
Duluth	38	34
Escanaba	36	34
Grand Rapids	68	34
Green Bay	44	36
Helena	30	24
Huron	38	32
Indianapolis	56	42
Kansas City	54	42
Marquette	46	34
Memphis	56	48
Milwaukee	46	34
Omaha	42	38
St. Louis	56	44
St. Paul	42	36
Sault Ste. Marie	36	30
Springfield, Ill.	52	42
Springfield, Mo.	62	42
Wichita	54	38

CALEB POWERS PETITION.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] With the receipt of information from down-State that 34,400 names have been signed in Illinois to the petition for a pardon for Caleb Powers in six days, a movement was started in Chicago today to add 175,000 names to the petition in Chicago alone. It is planned to secure at least 5000 names in each ward.

TO PROTECT GIRLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Formal organization of the vigilance committee appointed by various churches and other reform interests for the suppression of traffic in girls was effected today. The committee took the name of the Illinois Vigilance Association, and adopted a constitution which sets forth that the object of the association is to put an end to traffic in womanhood and kindred evils.

LIVED DOUBLE LIFE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A respected shoe dealer by day and a burglar by night is the dual role attributed by the police to John Hasey, 29 years old, arrested today on the charge of burglary. A search of his room revealed $400 worth of optical goods and pawn tickets for goods that had been pawned.

MRS. DOWIE'S PLANS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WAUKEGAN (Ill.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Jane Dowie aspires to her late husband's place as head of the Christian Catholic church and believes she is destined to bring the warring factions at Zion together. At her home near Waukegan she is making plans to induce her husband's former followers to rally to her standard, and hopes to take up her husband's projects if she secures the desired position. She proposes to call Overseer Bryant back from Australia to lead the people.

KILLED HIS SISTER.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

EVANSVILLE (Ind.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] While in the act of loading a shotgun this afternoon, Jasper Jerrell, a wealthy farmer in Gibson county shot and killed his sister, Mrs. Columbus Rumble, 25 years old.

TO FORTIFY VLADIVOSTOK.

Russians to Be Prepared in Case of Future Trouble With Japan in Orient.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Feb. 12.—The Ministry of War is preparing plans for the speedy conversion of Vladivostok into a first-class fortress, involving expenditures of about $6,000,000.

Completion of the work within three years is held to be imperative, in order that Russia may not be caught napping as at Port Arthur in case of future trouble with Japan. Sixty engineering officers will be employed on the work.

Russian strategy in any future war with Japan will depend upon the ability of Vladivostok to hold out for a year without assistance. The mobilization plans worked out by the general staff contemplate the concentration of troops on the line of Lake Baikal, and the abandonment of the intervening parts of Siberia and Manchuria until the army is strong enough to assume the offensive successfully.

MILLION ROBINS SLAIN.

Louisiana Hunters Facilitate Eastern March of Destructive Boll Weevil by Recklessness.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12.—The announcement that about 1,000,000 robins have been killed by hunters this winter in Louisiana was made today by Frank M. Miller, president of the Louisiana Audubon Society.

Following the announcement, George E. Howell, a government expert here to investigate the habits of the robin, said that the government may prove that the eastward movements of the boll weevil had been facilitated by the reckless destruction of the robins. The birds are killed for food.

COAL MINERS STRIKE.

DU QUOINES (Ill.) Feb. 12.—One thousand miners, employed by the Crerar Cling Coal Company of Chicago, went on strike here today. The trouble originated over the price of powder, which the operators have been selling to the miners.

URGES BETTER HARBORS.

Senator Knox Points Out Need of Waterways Improvements Because of Panama Canal.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 12.—With four United States Senators, as many Congressmen and several hundred of the most prominent business men in the Pittsburgh district in attendance, the annual Lincoln birthday banquet of the Pittsburgh Chamber of Commerce was held at the Hotel Schenly here today.

The dinner was very successful, and the chief address was made by Senator Knox of Pennsylvania. The other speakers and guests were J. P. Dolliver, Senator from Iowa; Thomas Carter, Senator from Montana; Boies Penrose, Senator from Pennsylvania, and Congressman P. Sloat Fassett of New York.

Three Congressmen of this district—James Francis Burke, Dr. A. P. Barchfeld and A. Graham—were also present.

Senator Knox said in part:

"The duty of the government to improve its waterways and harbors is made exigent by the great expenditures in progress on the Isthmus of Panama. Besides the vast general inducement for bringing all our harbors and rivers to their full economic capacity, the direct bearing of this work in securing to our own people their fair share of the benefits from the interoceanic canal is so intimate and weighty that it cannot be neglected with justice to this nation or without discrediting our own intelligence and consistency.

"Consider the situation as it presents itself today. We are expending a vast sum of money to dig the Panama Canal to a depth of thirty-five feet. That depth is fixed by the well-established fact that the cheapest ocean transportation is in the great vessels of about that draft. In order that the canal may give the commerce between the Atlantic and the Pacific oceans its full development this depth is admittedly necessary. But at the same time only two or three ports of the United States have a depth of water equal to that fixed for the Isthmian Canal; and applications of cities to have their harbor channels deepened to that standard are met with procrastination if not refusal. If this is not amended Congress will stand self-convicted of spending the nation's money in digging a canal and confining its fullest benefits to the commerce of other nations, or at best giving to the United States the privilege of using the full depth only through a few ports already notoriously congested."

NO SURPRISE, SAYS FORAKER.

Defeated Ohioan Declares Taft's Victory Means Nothing, as Vote Is Not Representative.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Senator J. B. Foraker today gave out a statement as to the result of the primary elections in Ohio on Tuesday, when the Taft forces made practically a clean sweep in the selection of delegates to the coming Republican State Convention. In his statement, Senator Foraker says:

"Nobody should be either surprised or misled by the result of the primaries held in Ohio yesterday. It has been common knowledge for weeks that the call for these primaries was of such character that my friends throughout the State refused to participate. Consequently there was no opposition to the selection of Taft delegates. Under such circumstances he would, of course, carry everything.

"That the result of the primaries does not indicate anything conclusive would be manifest from the fact that the total vote polled will not represent more than 10 per cent. of the Republicans of Ohio. There were only two districts in which there was any approach to a contest, and these contests were due to the fact that there were opposing candidates in each district for the nomination to Congress.

"In the Sixth District the Taft candidate was defeated by 1025, while in the Fifteenth District, Mr. Dawes, the Taft leader and candidate for renomination, is possibly beaten, according to the latest advices I have received.

"If there had been a primary in which we could have participated, similar results would have been possible, if not probable, all over the State.

"Recurring to the State convention, it should be borne in mind that it will be composed of representatives of only one faction of the party. Not because the people have so decided, but because the course of the Taft managers was such as to bar everybody else out from participation."

INDUSTRIAL.

PROSPERITY IS COMING BACK.

Optimism Pervades Business World Again.

Chicago and New York Wholesalers Hopeful.

People Have Money for All Their Needs.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That the nation is again on the high road to prosperity was shown today by reports from all sections of the country.

On every hand it is agreed that the depression following the financial flurry of last fall is a thing of the past, and that the outlook is for a steadily increasing volume of business until normal conditions have been reached.

In some branches of trade, prosperity in a full measure has been recorded, and other lines show an improvement that promises some satisfactory records at the close of the year.

Following the end of the stringency in money, comes an improvement in collections and a corresponding facility of barter and sale. It has also been demonstrated completely that the general public escaped the effects of the flurry. The people have cash with which to supply their needs, and their needs are just as great as ever.

With more facories resuming operations every day, the number of unemployed is decreasing, and it is believed that before long the idle men will be the exception.

Chicago wholesalers report that the country merchants are coming in with their spring orders in greater numbers than a year ago. In almost every case they say that their stocks are low and must be replenished immediately to care for the demands of their customers.

In New York, the merchants' association has had its spring "registration day" and it proved to be the best in ten years, with one exception.

The steel business, recognized as the barometer of trade in general, has shown marked improvement within the last few weeks. Such articles as wire and nails, which get to the general public quicker than the other products, are in great demand and the railroads are coming into the market for large quantities of supplies.

Building material is in better demand; not only steel, but the other commodities. The opening of the mills calls for increased sales of coal and transactions in provisions indicate that the public has not lost its appetite.

Even the luxuries of life, where business felt the depression the most, are in great demand, and those who prophesied a few weeks ago that the foundations of American prosperity were too firm to feel the effects of a temporary shortage of money are priding themselves on their acumen.

CAPTAIN MUST GO TO PRISON.

Sentence of Ten Years Imposed on Von Schalck of Ill-Fated General Slocum Is Affirmed.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The sentence of ten years imprisonment of William von Schalck, captain of the excursion steamer General Slocum, which was burned June 15, 1904, in the East River with a loss of over 1000 lives, was affirmed today by the United States Circuit Court of Appeals.

The decision means that in all probability Capt. von Schalck will have to go to prison and serve his sentence of ten years unless his counsel are able to find some question of law upon which they can secure a stay of judgment.

There still remains untried the indictment found against the officers and directors of the Knickerbocker Steamship Company, the owners of the General Slocum, who were indicted at the same time for having negligently violated their duties as owners.

Capt. von Schalck is the only one who has been convicted in connection with the disaster. The Federal inspector who passed upon the condition of the life preservers and life-saving apparatus was indicted for neglect of duty and was brought to trial, but was not convicted.

Nearly fifty women suffragists, who Monday made a raid on the House of Commons, were arraigned in police court yesterday and sentenced to pay a fine or to serve one month imprisonment. All but two of the women preferred to go to jail rather than pay the fine.

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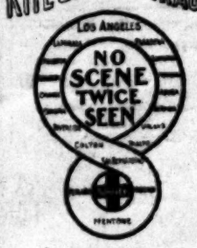

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Azusa	9:31 AM
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Upland	10:08 AM
San Bernardino	10:45 AM
Redlands	1:15 PM
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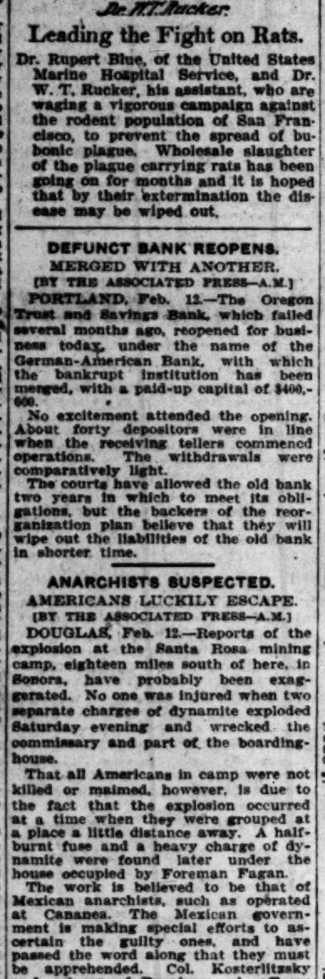

Dr. W. T. Rucker.

Leading the Fight on Rats.

Dr. Rupert Blue, of the United States Marine Hospital Service, and Dr. W. T. Rucker, his assistant, who are waging a vigorous campaign against the rodent population of San Francisco, to prevent the spread of bubonic plague. Wholesale slaughter of the plague carrying rats has been going on for months and it is hoped that by their extermination the disease may be wiped out.

DEFUNCT BANK REOPENS.

MERGED WITH ANOTHER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND, Feb. 12.—The Oregon Trust and Savings Bank, which failed several months ago, reopened for business today, under the name of the German-American Bank, with which the bankrupt institution has been merged, with a paid-up capital of $400,000.

No excitement attended the opening. About forty depositors were in line when the receiving tellers commenced operations. The withdrawals were comparatively light.

The courts have allowed the old bank two years in which to meet its obligations, but the backers of the reorganization plan believe that they will wipe out the liabilities of the old bank in shorter time.

ANARCHISTS SUSPECTED.

AMERICANS LUCKILY ESCAPE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

DOUGLAS, Feb. 12.—Reports of the explosion at the Santa Rosa mining camp, eighteen miles south of here, in Sonora, have probably been exaggerated. No one was injured when two separate charges of dynamite exploded Saturday evening and wrecked the commissary and part of the boarding-house.

That all Americans in camp were not killed or maimed, however, is due to the fact that the explosion occurred at a time when they were grouped at a place a little distance away. A half-burnt fuse and a heavy charge of dynamite were found later under the house occupied by Foreman Fagan.

The work is believed to be that of Mexican anarchists, such as operated at Cananea. The Mexican government is making special efforts to ascertain the guilty ones, and have passed the word along that they must be apprehended. Col. Kosterlitzsky and a troop of Rurales and officers from near-by Mexican cities, together with special attorneys, are working on the case.

Mexican employés, numbering about fifty, are under close surveillance. No arrests have been made.

CAUGHT IN HIS OWN TRAP.

Effort to Disinherit Daughter Results in Capt. Watson Being Without Funds Himself.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Capt. Horace H. Watson, in his efforts to disinherit his daughter, Mrs. Mary Holton Watson Grim, has tied up his fortune so completely that he is unable to get any of it himself, and appeared before Judge Morgan this morning, asking to be allowed sufficient money for the needs of life from his estate, which is worth over a quarter of a million dollars.

Six years ago he conveyed his property to three trustees, the income to be paid to him during his lifetime, because he did not desire his daughter, who had married against his wishes, to secure any of it.

Since the great fire of April 18, 1906, the property has produced no income, and he now is anxious to secure the abrogation of the trust deed.

POSTAL BUSINESS GROWS.

IN SAN FRANCISCO OFFICE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—The record of the San Francisco postoffice for 1907, the first full year since the disaster, shows a gratifying increase in money-order business over that of the previous year.

Domestic money orders to the amount of $1,093,000 were issued at the main office during the year, an increase of 24 per cent. over 1906.

At the stations the amount issued for the year was $4,431,000, or an increase of 27 per cent. over 1906.

International money orders issued at the main office amounted to $378,000, an increase of 80 per cent. over 1906, while international orders issued at stations amounted to $1,150,000, or an increase of 71 per cent. over 1906.

A larger per cent. of this increase is due to the amount of money which has been sent to Japan by natives of that country living here, who have increased their remittances in a surprising way.

Domestic orders paid for 1907 amount to $8,576,000, or an increase of 6 per cent. over the amount for 1906, and the international orders paid, although smaller, show this year a decrease of 41 per cent. as compared with 1906, being $142,000.

HAS HOP-PICKING MACHINE.

Horst Company Claims Invention, the Dream of Growers, Will Be Revolutionary as Cotton Gin.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The hop industry of the world will be revolutionized, as much as was the growing of cotton by the cotton gin, if the invention which the E. Clemons Horst Company says it has, proves to be a success. Horst has secured a patent on a hop-picking machine which has been the dream of many growers in Europe and America.

This company has 5000 acres of hops in Oregon, California and British Columbia, it being the largest grower of hops in the world. The company contemplates using machines to pick a large part of the coming crop.

In Washington it costs about 5 cents a pound to spray, pick and put hops in the bale. Horst says with his invention he will be able to pick and bale his California hops at 2½ cents a pound.

SAN JOSE ENTERTAINS.

WASHINGTONIANS ARE GUESTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN JOSE, Feb. 12.—More than 200 excursionists from the State of Washington arrived here at noon today. They were met at the depot by members of the Chamber of Commerce and escorted to the Hotel Vendome, where they had luncheon.

This afternoon at 2 o'clock, they boarded interurban cars and took a trip through the west side of the valley, stopping briefly at Saratoga and Los Gatos, returning here at 5 o'clock. This evening they will dine at the hotel and be given a reception at 8 o'clock by the Chamber of Commerce and local citizens. At midnight, they will start for Monterey.

SLOPE BRIEFS.

Convicted Banker Gets Delay.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—R. E. Ragland, president of the defunct Citizens' State Bank, convicted of exhibiting a deadly weapon in a rude and threatening manner, pleaded for another continuance when called upon for sentence in Judge Conlon's court this morning. Judge Conlon set the matter over until Saturday, but stated that would positively be the last continuance.

Murder Verdict Over Skeleton.

OAKLAND, Feb. 12.—That murder had been done in one instance was the verdict of the Coroner's jury, which sat today over two skeletons found at Elmhurst, near here. The murder verdict was brought in the case of the hacked skeleton of a man. No decision was reached concerning the woman whose skeleton was found.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Manhattan, J. F. McKeeley; Hotel Astor, Miss I. M. Clark; Manhattan, Mrs. P. F. French, W. O. Steipe and wife; Holland, Mrs. C. Rand, E. D. Rand.

AT SAN FRANCISCO HOTELS.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Hotel St. Francis: H. G. Miner, M. Kingsburg, Charles Seyler, C. H. Banks, E. C. Klinker, B. Lewis and wife, William Berry.

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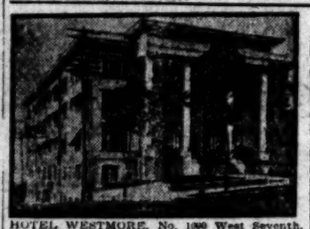

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SIXTIETH CONGRESS.

TAKES RAP AT ALDRICH BILL.

Rayner of Maryland Says It Is Defective.

Country's Currency System Is Also Denounced.

Takes Issue With President on Trust Remedy.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Senator Rayner of Maryland addressed the Senate today on the Aldrich currency bill.

There was a large attendance of both Democrats and Republicans, including the leaders of both sides.

After outlining what he considered to be faults in the currency system of the government, Mr. Rayner said:

"The truth about the situation is that the money in this country is not equitably and fairly distributed, and that it is so concentrated at points that dominate the banking interests of the land that the people who need the money and the agricultural sections of the country and the country banks, and the country towns and mercantile and farming interests, and honest business enterprises, are all unable to procure it when the necessity arises for its use, and all is sacrificed to gratify and appease the demands that are concentrated around the financial centers of the country. We will never have any permanent relief until we strike at the root of the evil and reform our entire banking system from its foundations in the interest of the American people against the special interests."

While opposing the Aldrich bill, Mr. Rayner went on record also against a credit currency, an asset currency and a central bank of issue. The great trouble with the pending bill is with the reserves, he said, and he declared that the law regulating them is simply a disguised and stupendous deception and fraud.

WORST IN THE WORLD, HE SAYS.

He said that the reserves scheme as now operated works dishonestly and disastrously upon the rights of the American people, and the deposits of money in country banks, with the juggling that finally carries it to the reserve centers, contributes to make the worst system in the civilized world.

Mr. Rayner asserted that the absence of a provision correcting the evils pointed out in the reserves system amounts to a disfiguration of the Aldrich bill, and that the measure in its present form will "work more effectively in the interest of large dividends to the stockholders of national banks than it does in the interests of the American people," and, he continued:

"And now I say with great deference and respect both for the office and for its occupant, that the President of the United States has also, with the best intentions, unconsciously contributed to the misfortunes that have overtaken us. I unite with him in the warfare that he is waging against the violators of the law and the oppressors of the people. He cannot be too severe for me in his arraignments of their iniquitous practices.

WOULD SQUELCH THEM.

"When it comes to the Standard Oil Company and other kindred alliances, no man in this chamber would go to a greater length than I am willing to go in driving them if possible from the face of the earth. I know that their path has been a path of desolation. I know that they have swept down upon competition like a cormorant upon its prey, and have built their thrones upon the wants of penury and the toil of unrequited labor. Monopoly is the curse of this country, and I take up my line of march as I have always done—with the attacking party that will eventually level it to the earth, and remove from its deadly grasp the honest business enterprises of the land and the prostrate right of the American people. I differ, however, with the President in his method of assault.

"Malefactors should receive penal punishment, and a whole generation of innocent people ought not to suffer for the sins of their oppressors. One day of imprisonment would do the work better than all the heaviest fines that can be levied upon the institution they represent.

"I differ with the President in his remedies because he has suggested one after another utterly impossible of accomplishment by the Federal government. The diagnosis of the President is perfectly correct, but in most of the instances he cites his remedies are either unlawful or impracticable.

"From the violent fervor of his utterances there is an idea running through the public mind that he has come to the conclusion that every man engaged in a large business enterprise is a malefactor and that every good citizen of the land ought to spend at least one term in the penitentiary."

PRAYS ABOUT LINCOLN.

GIVES THANKS FOR EXAMPLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Chaplain Cowden, in his invocation in the House today, feelingly referred to Abraham Lincoln as follows:

"We thank Thee, our Heavenly Father, that our republic is not ungrateful but that she honors herself in keeping sacred the memory of her fearless son, who in peace and war, giving a living sacrifice to her honor and glory, that today throughout the length and breadth of our Union, her patriotic sons and daughters will meet to pay a tribute of love and gratitude and respect to Abraham Lincoln, the savior of his country, strong in his intellectual powers, pure, tender, loving of heart a patriot, a statesman, a Christian, the marvel of his age.

"We thank Thee for him for what he was, and what he did, and we most earnestly pray that we may strive to emulate his virtues, and leave behind us a record worthy in Christian citizenship."

MEMBERS AIR SENTIMENTS.

Take Advantage of Debate and Democrats Wrangle Over Bryan's Virtues and Faults.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The pent-up feelings of members on the issues of the day and other topics, were given a chance to be aired in the House of Representatives today. The opportunity came when the Legislative, Executive and Judicial Appropriation Bill was taken up and general debate for an indefinite period was begun.

As was the case last week, the tariff question and the President's message were the principal themes of discussion.

In the course of the concluding debate on the Indian Appropriation Bill, the proceedings were enlivened by Messrs. Hamill and Loake of New Jersey, both Democrats, discussing the virtues and the faults of William J. Bryan. Mr. Hamill insisted his colleague had not in his speech of last Monday truly represented the sentiments of Hudson county, which they both represent, the State of New Jersey, or the country. Replying, Mr. Loakue reasserted his charges that Mr. Bryan did not represent the principles for which Democracy stood.

GALLERIES LAUGH AT FAIRBANKS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Vice President Fairbanks fell and broke his grammar in full view of the Senate. It was a painful performance, made slightly the more endurable from the fact that Lodge of Massachusetts, who is a connoisseur in the use of English, was absent.

Senator Hemenway of Indiana had been out of his seat gossiping with a colleague until the time for introduction of bills had nearly closed. He hurried to his seat and asked:

"Mr. President, are bills in order?"

"Bills is in order," solemnly replied the Vice President, and then the galleries laughed right out in meeting.

It is expected literary Indiana will rise up as one man and threaten to write for Taft from now on.

SCANDAL.

ROW BREWING IN THE HOUSE.

SCANDAL OVER SUBMARINES IS POSSIBLE.

All Sorts of Allegations Are Flying About as a Result of the Vote in Committee on Naval Affairs Increasing the Number of Diving Warships in Programme.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An ugly row is brewing in the House Committee on Naval Affairs, which recently agreed upon a naval programme to report to Congress, consisting of two battleships, ten torpedo-boat destroyers and eight submarines.

The administration, from President Roosevelt down, asked for four battleships, ten destroyers and only four submarines, and comment has been caused by the fact that while the battleships were cut down from the administration's programme, the submarines were raised.

A lobby has been at work on behalf of the submarines for many years, and this is not the first time a scandal has threatened. In fact, an investigation of an alleged attempt to bribe one member to vote for them was held in the Fifty-seventh Congress.

While the action of the committee was taken in executive session, it is understood here that the vote for the submarines was only 10 to 7, showing a large minority in the committee opposed. That there is great feeling in the committee on the subject, which will be eventually aired on the floor of the House, is admitted. Under cover all sorts of allegations are flying about, and if would not be surprising to see a muss kicked up which will require some explanations by members of the committee.

PLAN FOR LAND FRAUD TRIAL.

Government Will Pay Actual Traveling Expenses of Witness in California Case.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is now almost a certainty that the Hyde-Benson-Dimond-Scheider land fraud cases of California will be heard in the District of Columbia courts.

Although the House has refused to make the appropriation authorized by the Senate it is understood that the conference committees of both houses will agree upon a plan whereby the government pays the actual traveling expenses of its witnesses, instead of the regular 5 cents per mile rate, and will also pay the traveling expenses of the witnesses of the defense. This, it is believed, will prove satisfactory to both sides.

Explains Appropriation Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Consideration of the executive, legislative and judicial appropriation bill, one of the great supply measures of the government, was begun in the House today. Mr. Bingham of Pennsylvania explained the details of the measure.

LABOR.

STRIKE LASTS FIFTEEN YEARS.

IRON MOLDERS' CONTROVERSY ENDS AT LAST.

Origin of Trouble Was Fight for Closed Shop and Many Plants All Over the Country Have Been Affected, Six Thousand Men Having Been Involved.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A strike of the iron molders, having lasted fifteen years, was today reported ended by the National Founders' Association. The origin of the strike was for the closed shop, and plants all over the country have been more or less in trouble over the question of union labor during the entire period covering the trouble.

The Chicago plants got into the strike zone in May, 1906, and since that time the union has maintained continuous strike conditions.

James Brown of the Iron Molders' Union of America said today:

"We have nothing to declare off, or on, at this time. There is little work on in the different foundries. The non-union as well as the union plants are idle."

The controversy has involved 6000 men and 115 foundries during the term of the strike.

WASHINGTON.

BANK LAWS ENFORCED.

Ridgely Brands Critic Coffin 'Sensation Monger.'

Comptroller Says Financiers Are Honest.

Answers Attack on Office by Former Deputy.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—W. B. Ridgely, the Comptroller of the Currency, today made public his reply to the criticism of his bureau, made by John M. Coffin, formerly Deputy Comptroller of the Currency, as published in the New York newspapers last Sunday morning.

"Mr. Coffin charged," said Mr. Ridgely, "that sections 5200 and 5208 of the Revised Statutes of the United States are daily violated by every large national bank, and makes the statement that stock gambling could be suppressed, or at least 80 per cent. of it obliterated, by a strict enforcement of the above-named sections."

Mr. Ridgely reviews Mr. Coffin's connection with the Weaver National Bank of New York, as its first president, and states that as a result of violations of the law, the bank is now in voluntary liquidation. Mr. Ridgely goed on to say:

INTENTIONALLY UNTRUE.

"Not only the charges, but the statements made by Mr. Coffin in the article referred to are really made without any knowledge of the facts, and are intentionally false and untrue. Section 5200 is the section of the bank act which prohibits any national bank from loaning an amount equal to more than one-tenth of the capital stock of such association, actually paid and unimpaired, and one-tenth of its unimpaired surplus fund, provided, however, that the total of such liabilities shall in no event exceed 30 per cent. of the capital stock of the association, to any person, association, company, corporation or firm.

"Whatever may have been the fact in regard to the enforcement of this provision at the time when Mr. Coffin was Deputy Comptroller of the Currency, and in a large degree responsible for its enforcement or non-enforcement, since the passage of the amendment to this act June 27, 1906, a most vigorous and determined effort has been made by me as Comptroller to enforce this section of the bank act.

"It is true that in former years it was a very common practice for some New York and other banks in the country to make loans in excess of the 10 per cent. limit. But owing to the steps taken by the Comptroller's office in the last few years to enforce this section, such violations of the law are now very infrequent.

EQUALLY FALSE.

"In regard to the violations of section 5208, prohibiting the overcertification of checks, Mr. Coffin's statements are equally false or based on wrong information. I am convinced from the examinations I have made and the explanations and assurances given me by many bankers of the highest character and standing, that illegal overcertification of checks are extremely rare. When they are discovered, as in a recent case, the facts are reported to the Department of Justice, and the offenders are indicted and brought to trial.

"The sections of the law which Mr. Coffin complains are daily violated are, as a matter of fact, strictly enforced the same as all the rest of the law is enforced—quietly, and as a matter of duty, without any fuss or parade, and regardless of the letters of Mr. Coffin or any other sensation monger. The proposition that officers of leading banks of New York City are so foolhardily as to daily violate the law and render themselves liable to imprisonment as criminals as would be the case if the law were so violated, is too absurd for serious belief."

SURPRISED BY CHANGE.

COOLIDGE GETS JOB AT LAST.

'JACK" EDWARDS FIRED TO MAKE PLACE FOR BAY STATE MAN.

Senators and Representatives Surprised by Change in Treasury Department, for Assistant Secretary Had "Made Good" but Cortelyou Had Promised Position.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] There was great surprise in both ends of the Capitol today when it was learned that Mr. L. A. Coolidge of Massachusetts had been appointed to the position of Assistant Secretary of the Treasury to succeed John H. Edwards of Ohio, who was fired.

"Jack" Edwards was originally Secretary Shaw's secretary. He made good, and was made assistant secretary. There are three assistant secretaries. Many changes have taken place within the past three years, but "Jack" has held down his job in good shape and it has been generally understood that he would continue in his office, but there was Mr. Coolidge, who has been bringing pressure to bear for more than five years to get into the Treasury Department.

He made an attempt to succeed Comptroller of the Currency Ridgley but Ridgely refused to resign and Coolidge remained out of a job. When Cortelyou was Postmaster-General he promised Coolidge that he would secure him a good job in the Treasury Department. He has finally made good.

James E. Reynolds and Beekman Winthrop, who are assistant secretaries of the treasury, are from Massachusetts and now along comes Mr. Coolidge from Massachusetts.

"It looks like Massachusetts is the only State in the Union that provides real financiers," remarked a member of the Senate Finance Committee this evening.

"Maybe Aldrich is having his friend Lodge stack the cards on us; you can't tell."

Mr. Coolidge was for a year or so d wing a salary of $5000 per annum for indexing the Congressional Record. He has also been secretary to the Spanish Claims Commission, and on the side has, it is understood, been one of the lobbyists of the beef trust at a salary of $15,000 per annum. Mr. Coolidge recently moved into his $20,000 residence.

"MODEL 1903" READY.

War Department Can Now Completely Arm Militia With New High-Power Rifle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Acting Secretary Oliver today made the important announcement that the War Department at last is in a position to completely arm the organized militia of the country, 100,000 strong, with the new high-power army rifle, or musket.

The weapon is officially known as the "Model 1903," rechambered for the ammunition of 1906, the distinguishing feature of which is the new sharply-pointed light steel-clad bullet, with its enormous range and flat trajectory.

Governors of States may have the new rifle for the militia upon requisition and turning in the Krag-Jorgensen guns of the type used in the Spanish-American War, the first magazine shoulder arm regularly issued to the American army.

The completion of this stock of arms will not close the great manufacturing armories, but they will be fully employed for a long time in making a stock of the new rifles to be held in reserve for the purpose of arming any volunteer army that may be called into the field in the future.

TAKE IT OR LEAVE IT.

MEYER DEFIES ENTIRE SENATE.

DECLARES REJECTION DOES NOT BAR OFFICE-HOLDERS.

Postmaster-General Tells Upper House That Law Gives Him Authority to Continue Florida Appointee or His Job Even If Members Want Place for Another.

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WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Postmaster-General Meyer has locked horns with the United States Senate. He has laid down the doctrine that a Federal office-holder may be continued in office after the rejection of his nomination.

The causes leading to Mr. Meyer's defiance of the Senate are:

On January 21 the Senate adopted a resolution in executive session calling upon the Postmaster-General for information regarding the present status of William H. Northup, postmaster at Pensacola, Fla., and why he is retained in that position.

The records show that Mr. Northup's commission as postmaster expired February 10, 1907. In the meantime his nomination for another term was sent to the Senate January 22. The charge of inefficiency and incompetent administration was made against Mr. Northup and he was rejected by the Senate March 2, 1907.

Postmaster-General Meyer paid no attention to the resolution passed by the Senate and made no reply. The powers that be in the Senate dropped Mr. Meyer a forceful hint that he had better answer the resolution or he would hear something drop.

This afternoon the reply of Mr. Meyer was laid before the Senate in executive session. It was brief and merely called attention to certain provisions of the law under which Mr. Meyer holds that a postmaster may be continued in office without reference to his having been rejected by the Senate.

The answer was referred to the Committee on Postoffices and Postroads, with instructions to examine the law cited or inform the Senate what course should be pursued.

As far as can be ascertained, it is without precedent for an executive officer of the government to contend that an official may be retained in his place notwithstanding his rejection by the Senate.

WANT LANDS FOR ENTRY.

ALASKANS SEE PRESIDENT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—President Roosevelt today considered the application of a delegation representing entrymen on coal lands in Alaska, to have the lands opened for entry. The question was presented to the President by Senator Piles of Washington, Delegate Cale of Alaska, former Gov. McGraw of Washington, and D. A. McKenzie.

It is understood that coal lands in Alaska are being withheld from entry to permit the enactment of legislation reserving a portion of the lands for the use of the navy and the establishment of a government leasing system for the balance.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

House Passes Indian Bill.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The Indian appropriation bill, after consideration on the floor, was passed today by the House of Representatives practically in the form recommended by the committee. The bill carries a total appropriation of approximately $8,000,000.

Senate Confirms Appointments.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—The appointment of George Wanamaker to be appraiser of merchandise at New York, was confirmed by the Senate today.

Frank A. Leach of California, was confirmed as director of the mint.

New California Postmasters.

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The nominations of the following California postmasters have been sent to the Senate: Arthur S. Fleming, Auburn; C. S. Merrill, Berkeley; C. H. Bartholomew, San Diego.

RICH MAN CONFIRMED THIEF.

Confesses That for Years He Has Robbed Stores, Unable to Overcome Desire for Loot.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ALTON (Ill.) Feb. 12.—Pacing his cell in the City Jail, Henry Schuelle, a wealthy and long-respected building contractor, in custody on a charge of burglary, confessed that for years he had been entering the stores of his neighbors at night and stealing. He knew he was doing wrong, he said, but he was unable to overcome the desire to steal.

The dual life of Schuelle was revealed by Jeremiah Kennedy, owner of a cigar store, friend and neighbor of Schuelle, who caught Schuelle in his cigar store at night.

"I have walked the floor at night until beads of perspiration rolled down my face, fighting against the insane desire to steal," declared he, "but I always lost."

He said he always gloated over the stolen goods for a day or two and would then burn them or throw them away.

PASTURAGE DESTROYED.

MARYSVILLE, Feb. 12.—A large army of flies in larvae stage are destroying thousands of acres of pasture in Eastern Yuba county, and stockmen will lose greatly. The pests are in such phenomenal numbers that they cannot be overcome. Already great tracts of pasture have been rendered worthless, resembling land after a prairie fire has swept over it.

RELIGIOUS.

PRESIDENT PREACHES.

Talks to Religious Educational Association.

Urges Higher Moral and Spiritual Life.

Benjamin Ide Wheeler Made Vice-President.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—Interest in today's work of the fifth general convention of the Religious Educational Association centered in a reception and an address to the delegates by the President of the United States at the White House, in which he declared that our material prosperity will avail but little unless it is built upon the superstructure of the higher moral and spiritual life.

The convention today elected these officers:

President—Francis Greenwood Peabody of Harvard, Cambridge, Mass.

First vice-president — Benjamin Ide Wheeler, Berkeley, Cal.

The delegates were received in the East Room of the White House this afternoon, when the President said to them:

"I doubt if there is any lesson more essential to teach in an industrial democracy like ours than the lesson that any failure to train the average citizen in the belief of the things of the spirit no less than the things of the body must in the long run entail misfortune, shortcomings, possible disaster upon the nation itself. It is eminently right that we Americans should be proud of our material prosperity.

PRIDE IN EDUCATION.

"It is eminently right that we should pride ourselves upon a widely diffused and eminently practical system of education. I believe in both, but neither will avail if something else is not added to the nation. The material prosperity is essential as a foundation, but it is only a foundation and upon it must be built the superstructure of the higher moral and spiritual life; for otherwise in itself the material prosperity will amount to but little.

"So, without education, it is necessary that we should see that the child is trained not merely in reading and writing, not merely in the elementary branches of learning strictly so defined, but trained industrially, trained adequately to meet the ever-increasing demands of the complex growth of industrialism, trained agriculturally, trained in handicrafts, trained to be more efficient workers in every field of human activity.

"But they must be trained in more than that, or the nation will ultimately go down. They must be trained in the elementary branches of righteousness; they must be trained so that it shall come naturally to them to abhor that which is evil or we never can see our democracy take the place which it must and shall take among the nations of the earth.

AT FACE VALUE.

"In making an address in greeting a body like this, I always want my words taken at their exact face value. I do not believe ever in teaching what can not be practiced. I do not want ever to hear a man say to pay no regard to the things of the body in life, as it is today.

"On the contrary, I would tell every young man that it is his first duty to pull his own weight; to take care of himself and take care of those dependent upon him. He cannot do anything for others until he has first made it certain that he will not be a burden upon others.

"I want to see the man able to earn his livelihood. I want to see the woman able to do her part as housewife and mother. But all my plea is that the man shall not be content with merely that: that the man shall realize that after a certain point has been reached the increment of his fortune, the increment of his well being amounts to very little compared to the result of effort spent in other directions."

ALL-ROUND CROOK.

BOGUS BARON IS SENTENCED.

BIGAMIST, BLACKMAILER, ADVENTURER, GETS LONG TERM.

German Born, Naturalized American Swindler Given Twenty Years Penal Servitude for Trying to Extort $80,000 from Brother of Man He Killed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Carl Ludwig von Veltheim, a German-born naturalized American, who posed as a baron, and was known also as Frank Kurtz and Carl Sneiderich Maurits, was sentenced today to twenty years penal servitude, having been convicted of attempting to blackmail Solly B. Joel, a wealthy Londoner, and South African mine owner, out of $80,000.

Von Veltheim, who was arrested four months ago in Paris, shot and killed Wolf Joel, a brother of Solly Joel, at Cape Town, in 1896.

He pleaded self-defense, and was acquitted. Some years afterward a body recovered from the Thames was identified as Von Veltheim, by his wife, but later the adventurer was discovered serving on the Bechuanaland police.

Before sentence was passed on Von Veltheim, the police told a remarkable story of his career of crime and fraud. According to this recital, Von Veltheim has committed bigamy with not less than seven women. This list includes a woman he married in 1904, at Yankton, S. D., and a young American woman, whose name is not mentioned, whom he met in 1905, on board a steamer between New York and Europe. He was married to this woman in Paris by a mock priest, who, it has been learned, was a friend of Von Veltheim.

The prisoner is alleged to have obtained large sums of money from most of the women he deceived.

The police allegations against the man include charges of theft and blackmail and the assertion that he is a deserter from the German navy.

INSTRUCTED FOR TAFT.

JOPLIN (Mo.) Feb. 12.—The Republicans of the Fifteenth Missouri Congress District in convention here today, elected delegates to the national convention at Chicago, instructed to vote for Secretary Taft for President. Atty.-Gen. Herbert S. Hadley was indorsed for Governor of Missouri.

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SNELL LAWYERS BLUSH.

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her love for the senile old man and promising that her little daughter should be his whenever he wanted her. And yet she always asked for money, more money. Once she wrote:

"You should give me enough money so that I would not have to work so hard. Give me a home, sweet darling, give r money to get a home with and I will be all yours—Your Own."

There seemed to be no limit to the depth of Mrs. Hamilton's love, or to her demand for money. Her daughter was the bait she constantly dangled before the old man's eyes. Once she wrote asking for more money, closing with:

"Pet is getting so that she loves you more and more, but you must go slow with her, sweetheart. She is such a peculiar girl and must be handled delicately. I will make Pet hug and kiss you all you want. You will have her for all your own.

Evidently the 14-year-old daughter manifested an instinct that was far different from that of her mother. Col. Snell repeatedly made protests that the child did not love him and that he wanted to stop his "courtship" of her. In meeting these complaints, Mrs. Hamilton wrote:

"My Own Darling: You are mistaken when you think Pet doesn't love you. When she knows you better she will love you to death."

At another time, Mrs. Hamilton wrote:

"I have loved you thirty-five years. When I used to pass you on the street in the old days, when I was a girl of 20, I was crazy for love of you. . . . Do you know you will never get to heaven unless you are good to me and give me money?"

WARNED TO GO SLOW.

"Sunday evening. You are my darling, sweet darling. I love you; honest in loving you, more each day. I wish you were with me now. I am wild for you!

"We can take Pet to Chicago. Pet would mistrust; go slow. Write her nice letters. She will soon do anything for you. I tell her how you love her. I will soon have her where you want her. Go slow. Give her some money."

Another one reads:

"I just received your letter. I am getting Pet all right. She wrote you. I put a short note in the letter. When you come you can kiss and hug her. You must have a long talk with her. I will make her all right. Send me some money in your next letter."

A short note says:

"You ought to have remembered me in your will, for I do love you so."

A letter marked June 22, 1905, complained that "V's" were so small and said "Send me an X or 20 in your next letter."

"I will get Pet all right with you. But my darling you must give me something for doing this for you. You can have my child for your sweetheart. Pet shall be yours. Send me $100 right away. Pet is yours. Remember you must be good to me. Send me some money.

"I will give you my girl, as much as I love her. That is doing more for you than you would do for me. You send me V. You ought to send me 500. Pet will love you for $200."

MABEL SNELL'S LETTER.

Only one of the letters alleged to be from Mabel Snell, the grand-niece from Kansas City, was read. This was as follows:

"January 2, 1906.—My Dear Uncle: Your letters of Tuesday and Friday mornings received. I am glad that you thought it best that I should go. I have found that I could build the house for $1500. It will cost $500 more to paint and fix it up. I would rather do that than go abroad. Don't you think I am wise in doing that? Now, about Mr. S. I don't think I can do any better than marry him, but I don't wish to do so if you have any objections to make. I don't think I can do any better, yet it is not my wish to marry now unless I can get your consent. What do you say to this? I'd rather get married while you are living. If I can't get along with S., I can leave him, for I know that you will take good care of me and mother. You know very well that I love you, but I don't want to wait too long. I am getting rather old, and soon I will be too old to raise a family. The doctors are advising me to get married, and I think it will be very much better for me than the taking of the trips which have occurred. Mr. S. can make a good living for me, and if I get into trouble he can help me. My marriage to Mr. S. need not make any difference to you. We will have a small wedding and with no great expense. I wish you would give me a new dress or some other little wedding present. With lots of love and kisses from your loving niece, Babe."

No more of the Snell letters were read, and will not be, until the court passes upon them.

CHANGE OF CHARACTER.

Mrs. Thornton Snell, daughter-in-law of Col. Tom Snell, told a graphic story of the career of the old man in the closing years of his life. She said that prior to the death of her husband, Col. Snell was kindness itself. He was always friendly and liberal toward his children and grandchildren. A change in his demeanor was not noticed until two years after the death of his son, Thornton. He then became

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[BY THE ASSOCIATED ...]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—... ment of Miss Nora ... daughter of Mr. and ... Blatch, and grand-daughter ... beth Cady Stanton, to ... est, vice-president of the ... Forest Wireless Telegra... was announced last night. ... the exact date of wedding ... been fixed, it is understood ... mony will take place ...

Miss Blatch was graduated ... of civil engineer by Cor... when she was graduated ... first five members in a class ... ty-five. Recently she has been in field work with the ... water department.

Dr. De Forest was graduated ... Yale in 1894, receiving the ... doctor of philosophy ...

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A Buffalo physician, in speaking of the benefits of charcoal, says: "I advise Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges to my patients suffering from gas on stomach and bowels, and to clear the complexion and purify the breath, mouth and throat: I also believe they will greatly benefit by the use of them; they cost but twenty-five cents a box at drug store, and although some cheap substitute may be offered, I believe I get more and better charcoal in Stuart's Charcoal Lozenges than in any of the other charcoal tablets."

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FATEFUL STORY.

MRS. MARTIN TO BE TRIED.

"Baby John's" Confession Astounds Officials.

Knowledge of Plot, Say the Authorities.

Mother not to Know of Son's Fateful Admissions.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Isabella J. Martin will be tried in Oakland for attempting to destroy Superior Judge Samuel B. Ogden's home and family with dynamite.

The affidavit of "Baby John" Martin, signed in Weaverville before a notary public, and giving in detail the confession of the outrage last week, was received late this afternoon by Judge Ogden himself.

It was promptly turned over to District Attorney Burnett and Dist.-Atty. Brown, and as a result of the conference between the two men it was decided to within forty-eight hours, representatives in Trinity county to complete the arrangement for bringing the woman and her reputed son back to Alameda county to stand trial on felony charges.

OFFICIALS ASTOUNDED.

Judge Ogden hasn't received by Judge Ogden of the Alameda county officials. It proved conclusively, they say, that the boy had intimate knowledge of the devilish plot against the Ogden family. The contents of the affidavit were considered so important that the lad's confession was withheld from the public.

It is of the utmost importance, says District Attorney Brown, that Mrs. Martin be apprised of the nature of the evidence against her, furnished by "Baby John."

BELIEVE CONFESSION.

The important document deals solely with the attempt on Judge Ogden's home. The Trinity county authorities received the full story of Mrs. Martin's plots some time in a later mail. The communication received is a short document, but it is crammed full of interesting information.

Conference with Dist.-Atty. Brown and Burnett believes that the confidences in the lad's affidavit about his confession is true. Until he had been a party to the crime he would not have known the details of the woman's spite and plot whereby she sought to wreak her terrible revenge. Nobody who has read the boy's confession doubts its validity.

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TAFT MEN JUBILANT.

Result in Ohio, They Believe, Will Affect Entire Country, and They'll Force Fighting.

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After a battle lasting nearly a year, they say, Secretary Taft's friends are now able to go before the country with all promises that Ohio would be solidly behind the War Secretary verified.

From now on they propose to force the fighting throughout the country, and it is predicted that the result in Ohio yesterday will have a wholesome influence in many doubtful districts in which delegates are soon to be elected.

ROUSING WELCOME.

CHILEANS ARE ENTHUSIASTIC.

VALPARAISO AND SANTIAGO CITIZENS TO WELCOME FLEET.

Almost Every Craft in Bay Chartered to Visit American Battleships and Cable Company Will Send Free All Messages Home from Admiral Evans's Officers.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

VALPARAISO (Chile) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Enthusiasm over the welcoming of the American fleet in the bay off this port continues to increase here. Special trains will carry thousands of people from Santiago and neighboring cities and almost every craft in the bay has already been chartered.

The Central and South American Cable Company has authorized the transmission, free of charge, of all personal telegrams of American officers sent from South American ports to their families in the United States.

El Pacifico of Tacna regrets that the American fleet does not visit Valparaiso and says this city would have given a better idea of Chilean progress than Punta Arenas. It comments upon the accident to a boatload of American sailors and expresses satisfaction that Chileans were able to save them. The thanks of Rear-Admiral Evans to the Governor of the port for the timely assistance are much appreciated, especially in view of the fact that the American character is not generally over effusive.

At Lima and Callao, Peru, elaborate preparations are being made for the reception and entertainment of the officers and men of the fleet. Callao is the next and last stopping place of the fleet before it reaches Magdalena Bay, though the great armada will weigh anchor for a few hours off this port and will be visited by high Chilean officials and thousands of citizens of Valparaiso and Santiago.

NAVAL OFFICERS ANGRY.

Cut in Appropriation for Mare Island Yard Will Hamper Fleet, They Declare.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

VALLEJO, Feb. 12.—Naval officers on Mare Island and members of the Chamber of Commerce of this city are wrathy over a dispatch from Washington announcing the appropriation for the navy yard had been cut from $786,000, as recommended by the naval bureaus, to $211,000.

Every request made is urgently needed to handle the big ships coming to the Coast this year, and unless secured, the government will have to use private yards.

Official surveys just made by the navy department give the depth of water through San Pablo bay to Mare Island as 26 feet, with a maximum of 38, enough to float any battleship.

OBITUARY.

Rev. Father P. A. Baart.

MARSHALL (Mich.) Feb. 12.—Rev. P. A. Baart, one of the recognized authorities in this country on the canonical law of the Roman Catholic church, died today from pneumonia.

Wilbur Raley.

SAN JOSE, Feb. 12.—Wilbur Raley, for many years a prominent wholesale fruit and vegetable merchant in this city, died last night, following an operation for appendicitis. He was a native of Missouri and leaves a widow but no children.

Charles Anson.

PORTLAND (Or.) Feb. 12.—Charles Anson, local traffic chief of the Western Union telegraph office, died at St. Vincent's Hospital about midnight last night after suffering for a few hours from an attack of apoplexy. Mr. Anson was one of the best-known operators in the country.

BRYAN BUSY IN BUFFALO.

BUFFALO (N. Y.) Feb. 12.—W. J. Bryan arrived at 1 o'clock this afternoon, and from that time until midnight he was a busy man in this city. He was accompanied by National Committeeman Mack, who met Mr. Bryan at Niagara Falls on his arrival from Toronto.

During the afternoon Mr. Bryan addressed a woman's organization at the Twentieth Century Club, spoke to a gathering of clergymen at the Y.M.C.A., met and conferred with Democratic leaders and attended a reception and luncheon given by the Democratic General Committee of Erie county.

Tonight he spoke at a mass meeting at Convention Hall, and he also delivered addresses before members of the Saturn and Buffalo clubs, the Knights of Columbus and the Modern Woodmen of America.

The meeting was open to the public, and the auditorium was filled. On the platform Mr. Bryan had as companions Mayor Tom L. Johnson of Cleveland, and many men prominent in the ranks of the Democratic party in Buffalo and Western New York.

COLORADO FOR TAFT.

DENVER, Feb. 12.—Resolutions indorsing the course of the national administration and favoring the nomination of Secretary of War William H. Taft for the Presidency were unanimously adopted today by the Republican State Central Committee of Colorado.

The resolutions were presented by Gov. Henry A. Buchtel. The committee decided to call a State convention at Pueblo, April 28, for the purpose of choosing delegates to the Republican National Convent

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RAILROAD RECORD.

ON THE HORNS OF A DILEMMA.

Railroads Stuck on Question of Tourist Rates.

One Course Stops Anti-Two-Cent Argument.

Another One Will Cause More Rate Legislation.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Passenger officials of the railroads extending east and west of Chicago are on the horns of a dilemma, with respect to summer tourist rates for the coming season.

At the general meeting of the Central Passenger Association, held today, it was stated that if the public was given the benefit of lower rates for summer travel to and from the resorts, the railroads would be deprived of their main defense against 2-cent legislation and 2-cent passenger rate laws.

If, on the other hand, the lower rates are not granted, it is certain to bring down a new avalanche of 2-cent legislation.

Uncertain what action to take, the Central Passenger Association passed a resolution not to make a lower rate than 2 cents for summer tourist travel, subject to the concurrence of the western roads. This resolution followed a previous conference between committees of the two associations, during which the western committee asked the eastern committee to stand with them in maintaining the 2-cent basis.

Despite the attempt which is being made to maintain 2 cents as the minimum passenger rate in the entire eastern and western territory, it seems certain that some of the lines will break away and give independent notice of lower rates.

TO ABSORB SMALL LINE.

ESPEE IS NEGOTIATING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Negotiations are pending between the Tonopah and Goldfield Railroad Company and the Southern Pacific company for the purchase or lease of the former by the latter company.

The proposition, it is understood, has been submitted on behalf of the Nevada company by Clyde Heller, secretary and treasurer of the corporation, who has been in this city for conferences with the executive officials of the Southern Pacific.

At the offices of the Southern Pacific Company nothing could be learned about the prospective acquiring of the Nevada railroad, but the admission was made that its secretary has been here seeking a favorable settlement of its debt to the Southern Pacific, which it is unable to pay.

STOCKTON HOPEFUL.

FOR SANTA FE OFFICES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STOCKTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Stockton Chamber of Commerce yet hopes to secure the new division headquarters of the Santa Fé, though the report is circulated that Hughson, Stanislaus county, has been decided upon. The officials decided the long division from Bakersfield to Point Richmond should be split up.

A proposition was made to make Stockton the new headquarters providing there could be secured sufficient land for a large yard, where all of the trains could be made up, but there was some hitch in getting the desired land.

NO RELIEF IN SIGHT.

Railroads Expect to Be Compelled to Reinstate Drunken and Incompetent Telegraph Operators.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Operating officials of railroads have practically given up hope of putting off the time when it is necessary to comply with the Federal law limiting to nine hours the working day of telegraph operators.

Plans are being made to meet the conditions of the law as far as possible on March 4, the date it becomes effective.

The ruling of the Interstate Commerce Commission yesterday that it has no authority to extend the time except in particular cases after hearings have been held is taken to mean that it may be possible for some railroads to secure an additional period in which to arrange for compliance with the law. It is still possible for Congress to suspend the operation of the law, but the railroads do not anticipate any relief from this source.

"It looks as though we will have to comply with the law as best we can on March 4," said the vice-president of one of the large western roads today. "This will mean that operators who have been discharged for drunkenness and incompetency will be put back to work, and that at thousands of stations in the United States, commercial as well as railroad telegraph service will be discontinued."

RAILROADS ASK FOR HEARING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Feb. 12.—In view of the announcement made yesterday by the Interstate Commerce Commission respecting its authority to extend the law, which goes into effect on March 4 next, limiting the hours of service of employés engaged in the movement of trains on interstate railroads, application has already been made by four railroad systems for a hearing before the commission on the subject.

The applications have come from the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy, the Southern Railway, the St. Louis and San Francisco, and the Seaboard Air Line. Other applications doubtless will be received in a few days. The commission has set February 27 as the date of the hearing, and it is expected all applications on file will be thrashd out on that date.

The commission has made it clear in its statement that it has no authority to extend generally the time of the effectiveness of the law, but may do so only in particular cases and for good cause shown by the carriers.

BUSINESS IS BAD.

SANTA FE MAN COMPLAINS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] General Manager Hurley of the Santa Fé said today:

"The present conditions along the Santa Fé, from a business standpoint, are the worst in years. While we have been compelled to reduce the working time in the shops of Topeka to eight hours, yet I hope we wont be compelled to lay off a man."

According to Mr. Hurley at the present time the Santa Fé has $10,000,000 tied up in idle equipment. This includes 8000 empty box cars and sixty-eight engines.

MANY IDLE CARS.

STANDING ON SIDINGS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—The Pennsylvania railroad has on its lines east and west 77,000 idle cars, representing 35 per cent. of the company's freight car equipment.

Of this number 61,000 are standing on the sidings and yards over the system and 16,000 are in the various shops undergoing or awaiting repairs.

"DIVIDEND TALK SILLY."

Harriman Hints There Is no Danger of Cut in Union Pacific Stock Earnings.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—That such reports were silly, was the only comment that E. H. Harriman would make yesterday when asked about the rumor which has been current in Wall street that the dividend on Union Pacific stock would be cut at the coming meeting.

"I cannot be expected to forecast the action of the directors," said Mr. Harriman, "regarding dividends. These rumors are very silly. Times are dull and people have nothing better to do than to make up rumors."

In other quarters the report was discredited that there would be any change in the dividend rate of the Union Pacific. Those who took the stand that no change was likely, pointed to the fact that the net earnings of the road, although somewhat reduced recently, are still much in excess of the amount required to maintain the 10 per cent. dividend.

Discussing general conditions, Mr. Harriman said:

"The country has a great deal more ahead of it than it has behind it. All that is needed is confidence. There are the resources under the ground and on the ground, and there are the people to develop these resources and the disposition to do so. The restoration of complete confidence is all that is needed."

MUST SPEAK SPANISH.

American Railroad Men in Mexico Are Given Six Months Only to Learn Language.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CITY OF MEXICO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The petition of the Grand Lodge of Mexican Railway Employés that Spanish be made the official language of the railroads of this country has been granted by President Diaz.

An order has been issued that all American railway employés in Mexico must learn to speak Spanish within six months or be discharged from the service of the railroads. The order will work a hardship upon many of the Americans conductors and engineers, who say they are too old to learn the language.

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Black Sateen Plain Apron 19c

With deep pockets and hem; others with wide round ruffle. Apron day, Thursday, 19c. Third floor.

Children's 35c Percale Aprons 19c

Mother Hubbard style; wide ruffle over shoulder; sizes 2 to 12 years. Apron day 19c.

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Made with long sleeve; cut very full; sizes 1 to 14 years. Apron day 49c.

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Today buy Valentines at greatly reduced prices; comic and clever subjects. It's going to be a great buying day. Valentine's day is Friday, 14th. This is a timely opportunity. Rear of aisle 2.

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Just 25 of these blanket robes for women, in Persian patterns; satin finish; cord and tassel; proper weight for cool nights; values up to $6.50. Thursday, second floor, $3.85.

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$1.25 Curtains—White or Arabian, double thread net centers; variety of patterns. $1.25 values for this sale 75c

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All pure silk messaline in all the new shades, including cream, light blue, leather brown, Copenhagen blue and black. 75c quality, aisle 10, Thursday, 59c.

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SLUGGING SURE.

JOHNSON TO FIGHT FLYNN.

Heavies Arrange Match With Good Side Bet.

Fans Are Anxious to Witness Battling in Action.

Britt Arrives and Begins to Train at Once.

As a result of the preliminary fight here Tuesday night between Arthur Collins and Battling Johnson, a match has been signed up, or rather agreed upon, between Jim Flynn and Johnson, and there is a possibility that it may be pulled off at the Pacific Athletic Club before the Britt-Nelson battle, which is scheduled for February 25.

McCarey's idea is that, as Johnson made such a hit with the fight bugs Tuesday night, they would like to see him in action again, with a good try-out horse, and as Flynn's style is so much like Johnson's, Flynn is probably the best man that could be picked out. Gaines, who is Johnson's manager, met Flynn yesterday, and they agreed for a fight at catch weights, with a side bet of $500, and part of the money was put up as a forfeit.

However, the chances for a fight this month between the men are not very good, for Nelson does not look with favor on a proposition to postpone his fight with Britt, for if it were put off, the change would interfere with his prospects for March 17, and he says he has a number of matches in sight for that date that he can pick from. Flynn has a chance to go to New Orleans and fight Jim Barry during Mardi Gras, and he sent a message yesterday in an attempt to get that fight postponed so he can take on Johnson. The latter weighs about 185 pounds and Flynn about 165, but Jim is apparently not afraid of the difference in weight.

BRITT APPEARS.

Jimmy Britt arrived here yesterday from San Francisco, and at once started in to train for Nelson by a six-mile run on the road in the afternoon. He has taken up his quarters at the Eastside Club, and after a spin on the road this morning, will begin on his gym work this afternoon. He is trying to get Kid Tex to act as a sparring partner.

Nelson will leave today for a hunting trip that will last until Sunday, and on Monday he will begin his regular training at Arcadia. This is one fight in which both men are very confident of winning easily, and the result should determine which man is the better fighter. Of their three fights, Nelson knocked Britt out in the eighteenth round, and Britt got the decision over Nelson twice in twenty rounds.

OCCIDENTAL'S FIGURES.

Presbyterian Freshmen Confident, but Pomona Babies Seem to Have the Call.

Considerable interest is being manifested at Occidental College over the track meet of the Presbyterian freshmen with the Pomona "babies" next Saturday afternoon at Claremont, and a large band of rooters will go to Claremont to witness the meet, as well as the intercollegiate basketball game, which will be played the same day.

The Presbyterian freshmen have completed a dope sheet which gives them a victory in the track meet by a very close margin, but from the showing made in tryouts by the men who will compete for both schools it would appear that the Congregationalists have the better chance of winning.

Occidental will enter the following men in the "kid" meet:

The 120-yard hurdle race—Wieman, Johnson.

The 220-yard hurdle race—Wieman, Johnson.

The 100-yard dash—Brower, Collins.

The 220-yard dash—Brower, Bonner, Collins.

The 440-yard dash—Patterson, Salisbury, McKenney.

The 880-yard run—Salisbury, Scott, Bonner, McKenney.

Mile run—Patterson, Fulton, Douglas.

Two-mile run—McDermott, Fulton, Douglas.

High jump—Sweet, Johnson, Elton.

Broad jump—Brower, Johnson, McClung.

Shot-put—McClung, Johnson, Collins, Wilman.

Hammer throw—Wieman, Johnson.

Pole vault—Neer, Elton.

Relay race—Johnson, Salisbury, Bonner, Brower, Patterson, Wieman.

PHIPPS'S DOGS ENTERED.

Two Well-Known English Fox Hounds Will Be Seen in Pasadena and Los Angeles Shows.

The exhibit of English foxhounds at the Los Angeles and Pasadena dog shows will include the brace owned by Maj. W. Arthur Phipps of Pittsburgh and Los Angeles. They are half-brothers, being by the same imported sire out of imported bitches, and from the well-known Langley Kennels of New York.

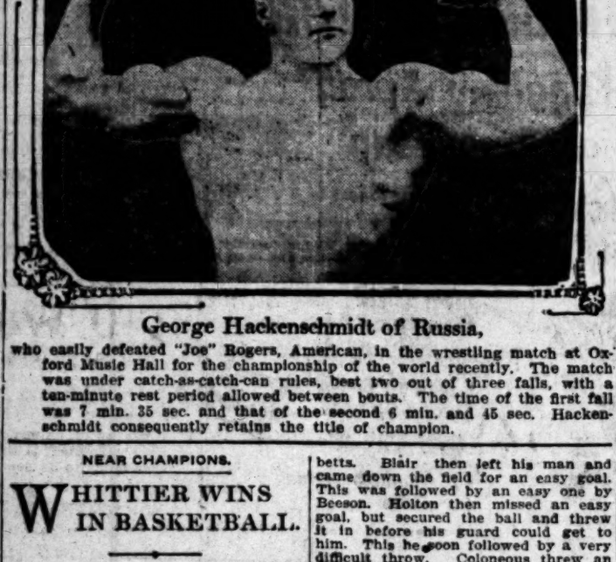
Drag, four years old, holds championship honors, and of him it was said by Mortimer, who judged the class last year in Los Angeles, that it was doubtful if a more perfect specimen of the breed could be found in America, if in the world. One particular point seldom found in perfection in a specimen of this breed, but very markedly shown by Drag, is the highly-arched instep, a mark of the highest possible breeding. His half-brother, Chum, three years old, would take first honors in most any company, and has never yet taken second place to any but his mate.

Mrs. Phipps has so much affection for these dogs that she insists on having them with her on all her travels. Although without the strenuous exercise which is the birthright of the breed, they nevertheless will be in perfect condition for the bench.

Cornell Suffers Loss.

ITHACA (N. Y.) Feb. 12.—Arthur L. Wilgoose, the Cornell distance runner, has been deficient in his studies and dropped by the university. He missed a large part of his last year's college session, and was unable to make up the work. His loss is the fifth the Cornell track team has sustained within three weeks, Waite and Lemohn being appointed instructors in the university, and Townsend and Colpitts being dropped.

GREATEST ATHLETE IN THE WORLD.



George Hackenschmidt of Russia,

who easily defeated "Joe" Rogers, American, in the wrestling match at Oxford Music Hall for the championship of the world recently. The match was under catch-as-catch-can rules, best two out of three falls, with a ten-minute rest period allowed between bouts. The time of the first fall was 7 min. 35 sec. and that of the second 6 min. and 45 sec. Hackenschmidt consequently retains the title of champion.

NEAR CHAMPIONS.

WHITTIER WINS IN BASKETBALL.

DEFEATS U.S.C IN DECIDING GAME OF THE SERIES.

Only Pomona Stands in Way of Quakers for Championship and the Final Contest Is to Be Played Monday in Los Angeles—Only Team Which Has Played Them All.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WHITTIER, Feb. 12.—Whittier demonstrated her supremacy over the University of Southern California in basketball by defeating the latter by the score of 27 to 19, this afternoon on the High School court. The game was very slow and uninteresting, and a high wind blew across the court most of the time, making good playing impossible, and causing a great deal of discomfort to the spectators.

For the Quakers Renneker, the crack forward, again played the star game, getting four field goals. In every game he is demonstrating more and more that he is the best forward the Quakers ever had, with the possible exception of Mills, who is not playing this year.

Tebbetts, the great utility man of the team, was again shifted, this time back to guard, where he played a star game, keeping his man from throwing any goals and getting down the field for four himself.

Holton, at center, did not play his usual brilliant game in the first half, getting only one field goal, and missing three free throws. However, in the last half he did better and got two field goals and one free throw.

Beeson played a good game at the other forward position, but was unable to hit the basket except once in the last half. Blair at the other guard position, played his usual steady game, keeping his man from scoring and getting down the field for one goal in the last half.

For the University, Colloneus was the whole team, scoring all the points U.S.C. made, two field goals and four free throws in the first half, and four field goals and two free throws in the last half. He also outjumped Holton nearly every time, although his men were unable to get the ball.

U.S.C. started the scoring in the first half by a free throw by Coloneus on a foul by Renneker. The Quakers soon started their scoring on a beautiful field goal by Tebbetts. A foul was then called on Blair for holding as Hall started to throw for goal, and a point was awarded. Coloneus threw the goal, putting U.S.C. in the lead. Tebbetts then made an easy field goal. A foul was called on Renneker and Coloneus threw the goal. Then Renneker made three field goals in rapid succession, one of them a very difficult one, closely guarded. Holton then made a beautiful one-handed goal. Then Coloneus made two goals in rapid succession. Coloneus threw a goal on a foul by Holton and the score stood 12 to 9 in favor of the Quakers.

Whittier started the scoring in the second half on a long throw by Tebbetts. Blair then left his man and came down the field for an easy goal. This was followed by an easy one by Beeson. Holton then missed an easy goal, but secured the ball and threw it in before his guard could get to him. This he soon followed by a very difficult throw. Coloneous threw an easy field goal, and a free throw on a foul by Renneker. Holton then threw an easy goal. This was followed by fouls by Blair and Tebbetts, Coloneous throwing both goals. Renneker took the ball away from his guard and threw a very difficult goal. Coloneous and Tebbetts each threw easy goals, followed by a foul on Coloneous. Holton throwing the goal. This ended the scoring of the Quakers, Coloneous getting two more field goals before the half closed.

This game leaves Whittier tied with Pomona for first place in the intercollegiate championship race, each team having won one game. The tie will be played off next Monday afternoon in the armory hall in Los Angeles.

The line-up for yesterday's game was:

U.S.C.		Whittier.
Hall	forward	Renneker
Goode	forward	Beeson
Colloneous	center	Holton
Selph	guard	Tebbetts
Henderson	guard	Blair

Summary:

Field goals—Renneker, 4; Beeson, 1; Holton, 3; Tebbetts, 4; Blair, 1; Colloneous, 6.

Free throws—Holton, 1; Colloneous, 5.

Referee—Price.

Umpire—Redman.

STANFORD WINS.

ST. MARY'S FINALLY LOSES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] For the first time in nine years the Stanford baseball team took the crack St. Mary's nine into camp in a close game, today, by the score of 4 to 3. The Cardinal nine played good ball and hit Krause better than at any time last season, securing eight hits, while Thelle allowed only three hits in five innings, and Goodell three in four innings.

Stanford scored two runs in the third, when Scott was hit by a pitched ball, and later scored on a two-bagger by Mitchell, who was scored on the second baseman's error. St. Mary's scored one in the fourth on a three-bagger by Collins and Mitchell's error. In the seventh Stanford marked up two more on Ball's single, Bell's sacrifice, Scott's three-bagger and Ganong's single.

In the eighth St. Mary's secured two runs on three hits and a walk.

Mitchell's knee annoyed him a little, but he played good ball. C. W. Scholefield, a freshman from Hollister, played in right field, taking Owen's place.

Stanford, 4; hits, 8; errors, 3.

St. Mary's, 3; hits, 6; errors, 3.

Line-up:

Stanford.		St. Mary's.
Ball	first base	Dunne
Bell	second base	Feeney
Fenton	third base	Halliman
Sampson	shortstop	Dugan
Thelle and Goodell	pitcher	Krause
Mitchell and Ganong	catcher	Burke
Scott	left field	Garibaldi
Wirt	center	Collins
Scholefield	right	Hart

Umpire—M. Schaefer.

Time—One hour and fifty mintues.

POLO.

RIVERSIDE DEFEATS LOS ANGELES TEAM.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Polo enthusiasts this afternoon were treated to one of the best exhibitions of the game ever given on the grounds of the Riverside Polo Club, when the Los Angeles and Riverside "A" teams met in the second match in the tournament for the Frank J. Mackey cup. Riverside won by a score of five to two.

Both teams were well mounted and star work was done by the ponies as well as by the players. The stick work on both sides was exceptionally good. Long drives were a feature of the match. Time and again a player would pick up the ball and carry it the length of the field, the others following full tilt, quick to take advantage of an opening to get in a telling stroke. Pony races the entire length of the grounds were of frequent occurrence. It was a game that tested the mettle of ponies and players alike and aroused keen enthusiasm among the spectators.

W. L. Roberts was a star player for the Riverside team. He played a consistent game throughout, although M. E. Flowers scored the most Riverside goals.

Tom Weiss, who played back for Los Angeles, did brilliant work from start to finish. Time and again he blocked the opposing team and kept down the Riverside score though he made none of the goals.

The swift pace of the game told on the endurance of Harry Weiss and H. Messmore in the fourth period, but they soon regained their energy and the last two periods were the best of the game.

The Los Angeles team comprised H. Messmore, No. 1; B. N. Smith, No. 2; Harry Weiss, No. 3; and Tom Weiss, back and captain.

For the Riverside team, M. E. Flowers played No. 1; Robert Lee Bettner, No. 2; W. L. Roberts, No. 3, and Major C. G. Ross, back.

In the first period Major Ross carried the ball to the goal line, but it went wild. Los Angeles turned the ball in the opposite direction and Smith scored the first goal in the first two minutes of play. Flowers caught the ball out of the bunch and carried it down the field in a brilliant play in which he made Riverside's first goal. Five minutes after the ball had been put in play again, Flowers scored the second goal for the local team. Before the period closed Harry Weiss picked the ball out of a scrimmage and in a spectacular dash, carried it the length of the field. By hard luck it went outside.

Bettner took the ball in the second period and it was swiftly carried to the goal line where Roberts put it through, making Riverside's third goal.

In the third period Flowers scored Riverside's fourth goal in two minutes to play. Messmore made a long drive but missed the goal.

Time and again in the fourth period the ball was carried the length of the field but was blocked by the opposing team before it went between the goal posts. The heaviest of the work fell to Smith and Tom Weiss but Harry Weiss took a fresh spurt in the last few minutes of play and made the second goal for Los Angeles.

No scoring was done in the fifth period. Both sides showed fine offensive and defensive work and enthusiasm among the spectators ran high.

In the sixth period Roberts carried the ball up the field. Harry Weiss blocked the goal and dashed down the field with the ball. Before he could make the goal Roberts blocked him and carried the ball back again for the fifth and last Riverside goal.

Thursday's play will be a handicap tournament for individual cups given by Frank J. Mackey. Friday will be devoted to gymkhana sports and on Saturday the two Riverside teams which were the winners in yesterday's and todays' matches, will play the finals, for the big Mackey cup. The tournament will close with a ball at the Glenwood Saturday evening, when the cups will be presented.

ONE FAVORITE WINS.

Talent Receives Hard Jolt On Six Races at Arcadia—Outsiders Win Three Events.

One lone favorite won at the Arcadia races yesterday, and this was La Chata, in the last race, at the odds-on price of 3 to 5. Two others managed to run second; two were third, and one finished in fourth place. A fair-sized crowd was in attendance, and the card was only an ordinary one, without particular feature. The first three races were won by nags at 7 to 1 in the betting, and none of these were played by the sports. There were so many "good things" in each race that it was very hard for the bettors to pick out the right one. The only feature on the card was the fourth race, at five and one-half furlongs, for a purse of $500, and this was won by Col. Bob, who easily beat the favorite, Rosegal. Results:

Mile, purse: Toupee, 106 (Shriner,) 7 to 1, won; Pal, 106 (Miller,) 5 to 1, second; Wexford, 106 (Schilling,) 4 to 5, third; time, 1:39 2-5. Meddling Daisy, Columbia Girl, Adoration and Cinnabar also ran.

Four furlongs, selling: Marion Delorme, 107 (Schilling,) 7 to 1, won; Lucky Mate, 110 (Shriner,) 7 to 2, second; High Ormonde, 110 (Moriarity,) 5 to 1, third; time 0:48 1-5. Annie Wells, Bennie's Busy, Harry Stanhope, Ollie Ward, Chinquapin, Gana Dinero and King of the Camp also ran.

Six furlongs, selling: Lord Nelson, 101 (Buxton,) 7 to 1, won; La Gloria, 103 (Martin,) 7 to 10, second; Billy Bowlegs, 93 (Dugan,) 6 to 1, third; time 1:13. Godfather, Pan de Oro, Eonite, Lady Vasht and Diamond also ran. Decorator, Kerry, Kirkfield Belle, Aunt Polly, Gaga, Phalanx, Wuersburger and Wisteria scratched.

Five and one-half furlongs, purse: Col. Bob, 110 (Taylor,) 11 to 5, won; Rosegal, 105 (Dugan,) 2 to 1, second; Bambro, 107 (Boland,) 20 to 1, third; time 1:06 1-5. All Alone, Hidden Hand, C. W. Burt and Turnaway also ran. Ben Stone, Port Mahone and Thomas Flyer scratched.

Mile and three-sixteenths, purse: Marster, 106 (Miller,) 14 to 5, won; Frank Flittner, 109 (Harty,) 13 to 5, second; Ed T. Fryer, 99 (Ross,) 9 to 10, third; time 2:00 2-5. Rifleman scratched.

Five furlongs, selling: La Chata, 117 (Schilling,) 3 to 5, won; Vivant, 117 (Harty,) 5 to 2, second; Banellen, 113 (Ross,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:00 2-5. Queen of Camp, Oconomowoc, Vindicta, Brigetta and Princess Marie also ran.

Arcadia Entries.

First race, selling, five furlongs.

Talarand	109
Hazel Thorpe	107
Koenigin Louise	107
Laura F	102
Don Hart	109
Billy Mayham	109
Firm Foot	109
Tremodon	102
Anna May	103
Nun's Velling	107
Transmute	107
Rey Del Mundo	112
Tearess	107
*J. J. McC	107
Allerion	105
*Chicorka Maid	102

Second race, purse, three and one-half furlongs.

Paradise Queen	112
Valjean	108
Mattie Russell	100
Adr. LeCouvreur	100
Minnie	105
Ch. f. Meltonian—Lizette.	
xBuckthorne	102
xLive Oak	103
Echopus	105
Lukeramus	106
B. f., Luke Ward—Ignoramus.	
Chilla	105
Who	103
Horace H	103
Fred Maier	1-8
xOakwood Stock Farm entry.	

Third race, purse, six furlongs.

Henry of Shen're	93
Strat Martin	98
Lake View	95
Black Mate	106
Amundsen	98
Taraban	95
Brawney Lad	95
Gossiper II	107
Booger Red	98

Fourth race, purse, one mile.

Magazine	107
Rapid Water	119
Critic	104
Roalta	104
Geo. S. Davis	106

Fifth race, selling, one and one-fourth miles.

Taos	99
*Marpessa	97
Chippewa	109
Sam Bernard	103
Nadzu	104
Woodsman	104

Sixth race, selling, one mile.

Bellchamber	101
Cotillion	107
Astral II	105
*Alma Boy	101
Bellmence	101
Little Minister	101
Aucassin	106
Louise Fitzgibbon	102
Mary Candlemas	90
Hi Caul Cap	109
Josie's Jewell	107
Uncle Henry	112
John C. Graus	106
Giov. Balerio	108
Guardi	110
Azora	107

*Apprentice allowance.

EMERYVILLE RACES.

LONG SHOT WINS FIRST RACE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P. M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—Byron, a 25-to-1 chance, won the first race at Emeryville over a slow track, today, in a hard drive by a narrow margin from Altair and Rose Cherry. Import made a runaway race of the fourth and won as he pleased. The Englishman was close up all the way, but could not catch the winner though he managed to hold the place safe from Mill Song, which was an easy third. Results:

Six furlongs, selling: Byron, 95 (Gilbert,) 25 to 1, won; Altair, 93 (Charboneau,) 5 to 1, second; Rose Cherry, 104 (Coles,) 11 to 1, third; time 1:17 2-5. Crigli, Peerless Lass, Ambitious, Patriotic, Banna Tyne, Mattie H., Paladini and Royal Scot finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Belle of Iroquois, 104 (W. Kelly,) 18 to 5, won; Sophomore, 94 (Carroll,) 30 to 1, second; Lord Provost, 109 (F. Kelly,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:16 1-5. Billy Myer, Curriculum, Salvage, Banposal and Hal finished as named.

Three and a half furlongs, purse: Work Box, 108 (Musgrave), even, won; Linola, 99 (Gilbert,) 60 to 1, second; Ornate, 105 (Kirschbaum,) 6 to 1, third; time 0:42 2-5. Hazlet, Opuilant, Toll Box, Tom Hayward, Caronia and Tillary finished as named.

Mile and a sixteenth, selling: Import, 96 (Gilbert,) even, won; The Englishman, 107 (Hayes,) 14 to 5, second; Mill Song, 102 (Kirschbaum,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:54. Mandator and Jake Moose finished as named.

Mile and seventy yards, selling: Warning, 106 (Keogh,) 16 to 5, won; Tarp, 98 (Sullivan,) 12 to 5, second; Rotrou, 105 (Borel,) 17 to 1, third; time 1:51 1-5. Arcourt, Elmdale, King of Mist, Zick Abrams, Cocytus and Tancred finished as named.

Five and a half furlongs, Pinole Handicap: Bucolic, 95 (Charboneau,) 9 to 2, won; Pajaroita, 103 (Rice,) 9 to 10, second; Seven Full, 95 (Kirschbaum,) 16 to 1, third; time 1:08 4-5. Deutschland, Senator Warner and Blue Heron finished as named.

RANDOLPH MAY JUMP TO OUTLAWS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ruby Randolph, the Los Angeles pitcher, in spite of the fact that he has signed a contract with the Alameda outlaw league team, may still do the flipflop and join the Angels. To tell the truth, Randolph does not know just what he will do.

"I haven't received any contract from Berry as yet," he said yesterday. "I have signed with Alameda, but Lew Schroeder, the club manager, has made me some good promises and he has got to keep them. If he doesn't stay by what he said, I'll not pitch for his club. My father wants me to go to the State University, but I haven't made up my mind yet. I will wait, anyhow, until I hear from Berry."

BALL GAME.

SCORE SHUT-OUT AGAINST L. A.

SAINTS OUTBATTED, BUT PLAY SHARP FIELDING GAME.

St. Vincent's Loses Services of Capt. Lamer, Who Dislocates Ankle. Yabarrondo Plays Brilliantly at Short Thereafter and Also Pitches Strike-out Record.

St. Vincent's ball team won from L. A. High by a score of 2 to 0 on the college diamond yesterday afternoon. L. A. outbatted the collegians and it was only by sharp fielding on the latter's part that the preps were prevented from breaking into the run column.

Pitcher Beamer proved very effective and the Saints collected but three lonely safeties off his delivery. Kerfoot, during the first half of the game, pitched good ball. However, in the sixth, seventh, and eighth, the High School batters took kindly to his offerings and only good support helped him out of several tight places.

Yabarrondo was put on the mound in the last inning and secured three strike-outs, throwing but six balls to the first two men.

Lamer, the first Saint up, dislocated his ankle sliding to first and was compelled to leave the game. Yabarrondo took his place at short and played a star game. In the eighth inning, with the bases full and two out, Wingett sent a fast grounder past the pitcher, which the Vincentian shortstop picked up with one hand and threw to second, forcing Beamer and retiring the side.

Cass, in the center garden for L. A., made several pretty catches of line drives, besides securing two safe singles. Corbin, St. Vincent's third baseman, gathered in a couple of high fouls after hard runs.

The Saints scored in the opening inning. Lamer was safe at first and went to second on a poor throw of Wingett. O'Rourke, who ran for him, stole third and scored on a fielder's choice to second. Callahan crossed the plate for the second tally when Wilson booted Mitchell's throw to third, in the seventh.

In the sixth the first two High School men singled. Mitchell drove one into left and was out. Halbriter forced Wilson at third and was himself caught off first by Grindle, spoiling High's chances. In the seventh the High School duplicated the performances of the previous inning, the first two men leading off with safe ones. Nothing resulted, however, as the squeeze play failed to work, and Beamer was nabbed at the plate. Wingett went out at the initial sack and Howard fanned. In the eighth High School again filled the bases, but sharp fielding on the part of the Vincentians prevented a score.

The teams will meet for a second game next Wednesday on the Chutes diamond. The score:

LOS ANGELES HIGH.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Cass, ss	5	0	2	0	4	0	0
Mitchell, c	4	0	1	0	4	0	0
Halbriter, 1b	4	0	1	0	8	0	0
Beamer, p	4	0	1	0	1	4	0
Wingett, 2b	4	0	1	0	2	1	2
J. Howard, rf	3	0	0	0	1	0	0
Sefton, lf	4	0	0	1	2	0	0
P. Howard, ss	4	0	0	1	0	2	1
Wilson, 3b	3	0	1	0	1	1	1
Totals	38	0	6	2	24	9	3

ST. VINCENT'S.

	A.B.	R.	B.H.	S.B.	P.O.	A.	E.
Lamer, ss	1	1	0	0	0	0	0
Flick, 2b	3	0	0	1	2	2	0
Gray, rf	4	0	0	0	2	0	0
Corbin, 3b	3	0	1	1	2	1	0
Grindle, c	4	0	0	0	12	1	0
Callahan, lf	3	0	1	0	3	0	0
O'Rourke, 1b	2	1	0	1	8	0	0
Yabarrondo, cf	2	0	0	1	3	0	0
Kerfoot, p	3	0	1	0	0	0	0
Brannan, rf	3	0	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	28	2	3	3	27	7	4

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9
St. Vincent's	1	0	0	0	0	1	0	x	2
Base hits	0	0	0	0	1	1	0	x	3
High School	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0	0
Base hits	0	0	0	0	2	1	2	1	2

SUMMARY.

Struck out—By Beamer, 4; by Kerfoot, 3; by Yabarrondo, 3.

Base on balls—Off Beamer, 4; off Kerfoot, 1.

Left on bases—St. Vincent's, 6; L. A. High, 4.

Two-base hit—P. Howard.

Sacrifice hit—O'Rourke.

Wild throws—Mitchell, Beamer, Wingett.

Time of game—1h. 30m.

Umpire—Carlisle.

FIRST DUAL TRACK MEET.

U.S.C. and Los Angeles High School Teams to Contest Tomorrow on Bovard Field.

L. A. High and U.S.C. are to meet tomorrow in the first track meet of the season, on the U.S.C. oval, beginning at 3:30 o'clock. The High School track and field men have been in training for a month, while the college athletes have but one week of real work behind them. For this reason the prep men probably will make a good showing against the collegians.

First prizes of athletic goods will be given, but second and third place men will not be rewarded. L. A. High will enter all the men who have given any promise of making good, and U.S.C. has a great number of candidates who will be tried out.

Lyle Rubio, the grammar school athlete, who made a great record in the Jefferson-street school last year, yesterday appeared for practice with the L. A. High squad, having entered the High School Monday. Rubio is exceptionally fast in the 100 and 220-yard dashes, and last night, his first time out this season, he was able to sprint away from Capt. Tom Coleman. He will run in the hundred in the meet with U.S.C. tomorrow.

Horace Donnell, the new coach, assumed charge of the L. A. High squad last night. To select a relay team for the meet tomorrow, he sent the candidates around the track in a fast quarter-mile. Brace Carter won, in 54 1-5s., and McLure and Williams finished second and third. Three runners, with Capt. Coleman, who did not run in the trial, will make up the relay team for tomorrow. Walbridge put the shot 45ft., 6in. in practice last night.

The L. A. High entries for the U.S.C. meet follow:

The 100-yard dash—Rubio, Geissler, Coleman and Craig.

The 220-yard dash — Coleman and Moore.

The 440-yard dash—Carter, Webb, Lawton and McLure.

The 880-yard run—Morgan, Hickson, Secomb, Clark and Webb.

Mile run—Morgan and Simpson.

Low hurdles — Williams, Waldeck, Harrigan and Dixon.

High hurdles—Harrigan and Waldeck.

Relay team—Coleman, Carter, McLure and Williams.

Pole vaule—Hale, Williams and Potter.

High jump—Burke, MacReady, Sefton and Davies.

Broad jump—Decius, Craig, Coleman and Geissler.

Shot put — Walbridge, Black and Frank.

Hammer throw — Walbridge, Frank Geissler.

AMERICAN GIRL WINS.

Miss Marie Wagner Defeats Miss Frederick Schmitz of England in Indoor Tennis.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—Miss Marie Wagner of the Hamilton Grange Tennis Club won the women's national indoor lawn tennis championship today by defeating Mrs. Frederick Schmitz of London, Eng., in straight sets, 6-3 and 6-2. In all departments the American girl outplayed her opponent.

Mrs. W. H. Pough and Miss B. Moore, two former champions, won the doubles in the championship by defeating Mrs. A. H. McCord and Miss M. Johnson, by the scores of 6-1 and 6-2.

Miss Clara Cassel of England was defeated by Miss Moore in early rounds of the singles, and consolation.

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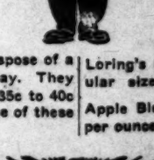
Eskay's Food, 50c, "SUN" price	39
Loring's Egg Shampoo, regular size	39
Apple Blossom Perfume, per ounce	50



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Drivers Complain of Roads. Many Accidents.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HUDSON, (N. Y.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Thomas car in the big auto run arrived here at 8:30 tonight. The other cars are stalled along the road, two at Churchtown, 6 miles below here. The Thomas passed spent two hours in a snowdrift at Blue Store, four miles from here, and another car is said to be hopelessly frozen up at Red Hook.

Messrs. Schuster, Gardner, Montague and Williams, the occupants of the forty-horse-power Thomas, complained bitterly of the cold and roads. They say it will be impossible to live up to the schedule laid out under present conditions. They will leave at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning for Albany, where they were due tonight.

PREFER SIBERIA.

FOREIGNERS' CHILL COMPLAINT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Siberian waste is an ideal summer country compared to [illegible] Pennsylvania, according to Price Drieghe, Eugene le Louvier and Max Hohmann, the three French artists, who left the Pulitzer building in New York, Tuesday afternoon en route to Paris. They did not arrive here until 5:30 this morning. They were snowbound in deep drifts twice and held up for hours by the pranks of the automobile's machinery. Their tale on arriving here sounded more like one of adventure than a trip of the 96½ miles of stone road between here and New York.

Perth Amboy, M. le Louvier, who was at the wheel, complained that the car was working badly. Five stops and repairs were made between New Brunswick and Trenton. At the latter place kindling wood was made of the picket fence separating the road from a ditch.

Ten miles from the village of Tulleytown the car skidded while going fifty miles an hour and landed stern first in a snowdrift.

At 1:15 a.m. the three Frenchmen were still wondering how to get the car out of the drift, when four lights were seen in the distance. They proved to be those of two Philadelphia automobiles, one a racing car of 60-horse power, and the other the 30-horse Little Dragon car owned by Dr. A. Haynes of this city that took part in the last Glidden tour.

They stopped and for three hours helped the Warner

HARD GOING.

AUTOS STALLED IN SNOWDRIFTS.

Thomas Car Reaches Hudson, but Others Delayed.

Impossible to Maintain the Schedule in Weather.

Drivers Complain of Roads. Many Accidents.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HUDSON, (N. Y.) Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Thomas car in the 169 again run arrived here at 8:20 tonight. The other cars are stalled along the road, two at Churchtown, and some below here. The Thomas spent two hours in a snowdrift at Hillsdale, four miles from here. Another car is said to be hopelessly down up at Red Hook.

Thomas Schuster, Gardner, Montague and Williams, the occupants of the four-horse-power Thomas, complained bitterly of the cold and roads. They say it will be impossible to live up to the schedule laid out under present conditions. They will leave at 7 o'clock tomorrow morning for Albany, where they are due tonight.

PREFER SIBERIA.

PASSENGER CHILL COMPLAINT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Siberian waste is an ideal summer country compared to the State of Pennsylvania, according to Baron Driguis, Eugene le Louvier and Max Hohmann, the three French officers who left the Pulitzer building in New York, Tuesday afternoon on a trip to Paris. They did not arrive until 5:30 this morning. They were overbound in deep drifts twice and had up for hours by the pranks of the automobile's machinery.

Their mode of arriving here sounded like one of adventure than a trip of a few miles of stone road between here and New York.

Count Amboy, M. le Louvier, who was at the wheel, complained that the car was working badly. Five stops of repairs were made between New Brunswick and Trenton. At the latter place kindling wood was made of the fence separating the road from the track.

Coming from the village of Tulleytown he car skidded while going at the rate of an hour and landed stern first in a snowdrift.

Finally at 4 a.m. the three Frenchmen were seen wandering how to get the car out of the drift, when four lights were seen in the distance. They were those of two Philadelphia autos, one a racing car of 90 horse power, and the other the Pathfinder Dragon car owned by a member of this city that took part in the Glidden tour.

They stayed and for three hours helped each other car in turns. Once the car got loose it dove into a snowdrift. At Frankford the engine could not endure the strain and went on. The Frenchmen will work their car into Philadelphia 1:30 o'clock this morning, spend the day resting and leave for Gettysburg at 10 o'clock tomorrow morning.

PARIS AUTO TOUR.

CARS OFF FOR PARIS.

[BY ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—The six automobiles competing in the New York to Paris race started from Times Square, Forty-second street and Broadway, at 11:15 o'clock today, amid the cheers of a throng of several thousand persons. Accompanied by more than 100 cars of all descriptions, the contestants made their way up Broadway and Riverside Drive to the Harlem, where they turned north on the road to Albany.

The first city the route to San Francisco, which is the objective point of the first stage of the trip, lies through New York State to Buffalo, through Cleveland and Toledo to Chicago, to Omaha, to Cheyenne, Wyo., to Goldfield, San Luis Obispo and San Francisco.

The Italian was to have given the start, but was delayed, and Count de Hoyt of the Automobile Club of America took his place. All the way to the vicinity of the Times building he stopped a half hour before he reached it.

Police officers closed the intersecting streets and blocked the route for many blocks on Broadway. No such aggregation of machines has been seen in or about New York since the last Vanderbilt cup race was run.

Arriving in the official grand stand were the anthems of the nations as they lined up for the start, a pistol was fired, the contestants away amid the cheers of people and the hoarse shrieks of thousands of automobile horns.

The starting cars are the queerest looking machines ever devised for motor purposes. With their heavy coverings of stores and camp utensils, most of them were a modern adaptation of the old prairie schooner. One resembled a hook and ladder truck with long running boards and was equipped with axes, shovels and a dozen other articles. The clothing of the drivers varied from the regulation to a pure fur outfit to the dress worn by a French chauffeur.

The French cars, one German, one Italian and one American started in the race constituted the crews of four machines, but there were five in the American car. The French cars are a De Dion-Bouton driven by G. Bourcier St. Chaffray, a Motobloc driven by M. Godard, a Sizaire-Maudin, driven by Lieut. Koppen of the Prussian Guard. The German car is a Protos, driven by Lieut. Koppen of the Prussian Guard. The Italian is a Zust, driven by Antonio Scarfoiglio, and the American is a Thomas, piloted by Roberts.

Each car carried the flag of its country and that of the United States. They were plentifully decorated with streamers and placards so there could be no mistaking their identity as they sped along. The buildings surrounding Times square were decorated with flags and bunting and the start was a spectacular. Estimates vary as to the length of time the race will take, but six to nine months, it is believed, will be consumed. All the contestants are confident of reaching their destination, the frozen fields of Siberia. Steamers will carry the machines from San Francisco to Alaska, and from Behring Cape, Siberia, across the ice.

Football Notes.

The Los Angeles Sporting Club defeated the Pasadena team by a score of 6 to 0 yesterday. The game was played on the Los Angeles Sporting Club grounds.

BASKETBALL CONTEST.

Two Well-Matched Teams Played Fast and Exciting Game Last Night in Y.M.C.A. Gym.

At the Y.M.C.A. gym last night, the Young Men's Class beat the Afternoon Class team at basketball, by a score of 19 to 15, in a very close and exciting game. The line-up was as follows:

Young Men's Class.		Afternoon Class.
Richey	forward	Sills
McMahon	forward	Herman
Haller	center	Lee
Jones	guard	Hagan
Marr	guard	Lallment

Field goals—Richey, 6; Jones, 1; Marr, 2; Sills, 2; Herman, 4; Lee, 1. Fouls—Richey and Sills, 1 each.

GOOD STUFF.

JORGSTORFF THE BEST WRESTLER.

RETZER AND ISAACS WIN TITLES IN LIGHTER WEIGHTS.

Cochran's Work Is Best of the Meet and He Loses Only by Default After Being Exhausted—First Tournament of Los Angeles Athletic Club Arouses Enthusiasm.

In the wrestling tournament at the Los Angeles Athletic Club, last night, George W. Retzer, Jr., won the championship of the club in the lightweight division; G. W. Isaacs won in the middleweight division, and A. C. Jorgstorff took first in the heavyweight class after entering but one bout, defeating A. K. Clymer. E. A. Cochran was expected to meet him in the finals, but was forbidden to do so by the club physician, and Jorgstorff claimed the championship by default.

Cochran went through two hard bouts against heavier opponents and won both after hard struggles, which completely exhausted him. In his first bout, with Frank Sentous, he wrestled ten minutes without a decision, and in the extra three minutes got a fall. In the semi-finals he met Chester Haigler, who had drawn a bye in the preliminaries, and was fresh for the match. Although outweighed, Cochran threw his opponent after seven minutes of wrestling, but the hard work unfitted him for the final match.

Retzer, the winner of the lightweight class, is looked on as a candidate for Coast championship honors. He threw Ferris in his first match in a minute and a half, using a severe neck hold. In the finals he bested Vosburg in a minute and eighteen seconds, using the same hold.

W. McKay furnished a surprise when he met Isaacs in the finals of the middleweight class, staying over eight minutes. McKay went into the tournament with but four days' instruction, but more than held his own against experienced men, and twice in his final match had Isaacs dangerously near a fall.

De Witt Van Court introduced the four boxers who participated in the recent Olympic Club tournament in San Francisco. Gis Fratello, Ivan Kahn, Sam Coulter and Cliff Reuman. They were given a rousing reception. The Sheckles brothers of the Y.M.C.A. gave a clever exhibition of tumbling and difficult balancing.

The wrestling bouts were ten minutes in duration, with an extra three minutes where there was no fall and the referee was unable to render a decision. Gold and silver medals were given for first and second places.

Charles Eyton refereed the wrestling bouts, the result of which were:

First match, heavyweight preliminary: Cochran defeated Sentous in the extra three minutes ordered by the referee.

Second match, lightweight preliminary: Vosburg won from Woodruff, decision.

Third match, middleweight preliminary: Hincks lost to Isaacs, decision.

Fourth match, heavyweight preliminary: Jorgstorff defeated Clymer in 4 min. 15 sec.

Fifth match, lightweight preliminary: Retzer defeated Ferris in 1 min. 30 sec.

Sixth match, middleweight preliminary: W. McKay defeated Clemente in 6 min.

Seventh match, semi-final, heavyweights: Cochran defeated Haigler in 7 min. 15 sec.

Eighth match, lightweight finals: Retzer defeated Vosburg in 1 min. 19 sec.

Ninth match, middleweight finals: Isaacs defeated McKay in 8 min. 5 sec.

Tenth match, heavyweight finals: Jorgstorff won from Cochran by default.

SANCTION SECURED.

Motorcycle Meet at Agricultural to Be Under Proper Authority—Bicyclists Challenged.

The Los Angeles Motorcycle Club has received from the Federation of American Motorcyclists the sanction for the race meet to be held at Agricultural Park on February 22. The necessary permit from the city having already been secured, the preparation for the events are practically concluded.

Henry H. Wheeler of Pomona, well known as an amateur long-distance bicycle rider and authority on bicycling matters, has issued a challenge against any amateur for a one-mile race, with machines geared 187, 160 or 140 inches. If the challenge is not accepted he offers to ride an exhibition mile, motor-paced or unpaced, and in all probability he will have a place on the programme.

HANDS OUT HOT STUFF.

Fight Between P.A.A. and High School Leagues Brings Forth Warm Letters.

The officials of the Pacific Athletic Association in San Francisco have made a counter move against the Citrus Belt League and all prep. schools defying the P.A.A. authority, by requesting the board of governors of the Stanford interscholastic meet to require all athletes competing to be registered. This matter is now under consideration by the Stanford board. If the measure is adopted, it will force all the prep. school athletes who enter the Stanford meet to join the P.A.A.

Indications of what may be expected from some quarters relative to the action of the P.A.A., is a letter received by President Sidney Peixotto of the Pacific Athletic Association from Principal F. A. Swanger of the Visalia High School. Mr. Swanger, it might be explained, resents the efforts of the P.A.A. to exert any authority over the academic athletes of the State and when he was requested to have his young hopefuls register in order that there be no question of their amateur standing, he replied in the following sarcastic vein that is a gem:

"Dear Sir: Your letter of recent date came to me, and, while I do not accord you authority to hale us into court, I reply to your inquiry.

"The Delta represented our sentiment regarding any sort of recognition of your organization as a holy-Roman-empire necessity; we certainly do not need your care as paterfamilias, for the control of athletics in this league is satisfactory along the lines that suit us and our needs. Further, this league is striving successfully for the proper development of athletics along our pathway and in our realm; we do not need your domination, for we are perfectly capable of scheduling our own contests and registering our own athletes as nearly in keeping with the spirit that should obtain in amateur athletics as need be. If this is not plain enough, it will be sufficient to add that we can attend to our own affairs in this line and secure the control in our democratic way much better than you can in your autocratic one. We hold that we commit no sin in remaining outside your domination, notwithstanding your superb intentions, and if Wilmerding has her own full self-respect in this matter, she will burn your bull of excommunication fearlessly and sing in exultant joy, 'Praise God from Whom all blessings flow.'

"Please register us ferninst your domination, much or little. Your Bible of athletic morals may be the same as ours, or differ from it slightly in translation, but our responsibility in athletics is not to the Pacific Athletic Association.

"Yours sincerely,

"F. A. SWANGER."

SMALL DUCK BAGS.

Few Hunters Who Shoot on Wednesday Squads Return With Small Number of Birds.

The final Wednesday duck shoot of the season yesterday, was far from being a success in the number of birds killed or even in the number of hunters that pursued them, for on every club that reported, the bags were disgustingly small, and very much out of proportion to those that were secured the early part of the season. The ducks have been so scarce the past two weeks that many hunters refused yesterday to take a chance on small bags, and did not go to the clubs.

Those who did go came back with the usual hard luck stories of wild birds and few of them. The best bags of the day were reported by a few of the Short Line club members who went down to the Laguna ranch and found a lot of canvasbacks and redheads, and saw a number of geese. Those in the party were Arthur McFarland, who shot the limit; B. Dyas, who got 23, and Charles Hopper, who bagged 15.

There were six men on the Dominguez, and they did fairly well, a number of fine red-heads being secured. Harry Harrison got 15 and his guest, Mr. Smith, almost as many. Dave Burke and F. O. Nelson shot 12 each; E. A. Emmons, 7 and PhH Lyon, 6.

On the Lomita there were Dr. O. P. Roller, Thomas Haverty, H. W. Lewis, M. P. Snyder, and F. O. Johnson, and they got from five to seven each.

There were only two members at the Golden West, in H. P. Hoffman, who got 10, and Jeff Lewis, who did not get even one bird. Hoffman had a guest, who succeeded in shooting one duck.

At the Olympic, Mel Nordlinger got 12 and Harry Baum, 7.

The Westminster had two men out, in C. C. Carpenter, who shot 13, and his guest, Asa Casner, had 10. There were five or six men on the Sunset, and the high bag contained five birds.

In all probability there will be a large number of hunters out during the three remaining days of the season, which closes on Saturday, as the regular squad days have been done away with this week. Those who are tired of ducks, will probably wind up the season with a quail hunt, as the open season for this game also closes Saturday. Large numbers of both quail and duck have been killed during the past four months, and the hunters in this end of the State certainly have no complaints to make of the sport they have had, for it has never been any better.

THREE HOME RUNS.

HARVARD'S CRACK SLUGGER.

Harvard School defeated the St. Vincent's prep. baseball team yesterday on the Harvard diamond, by the score of 8 to 5. Dodson, first baseman for Harvard, made three home runs. Following was the line-up.

Harvard.		St. Vincent's.
Macliesch Ernstling	pitcher	O'Neil
Newman	catcher	Phillips
Dodson	first base	Workman
Cutting	second	J. Couts
Thorpe	shortstop	Bastenchury
McCauley	third	Hickson
Riggin	left field	H.Couts
Robb	center	Bourg
Levy	right	O'Ihasso

CALIFORNIA LOSES.

ANAHEIM BOY FEATURES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BERKELEY, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The University of California baseball team suffered defeat this afternoon on California field for the second time at the hands of Heitmuller's All Stars, by a score of 4 to 0.

White, the 'varsity pitcher, for seven innings was wild and walked six men, and he allowed six hits, while Childs, the freshman who succeeded him, allowed one. Schimpf did effective work for the Stars, fanning four, walking but three, and allowing two hits.

But one of the visitors' runs was earned, the remainder coming from errors. Reid dropped two flies in deep left, each error being responsible for a score.

Butler was shifted from field to second for the 'varsity and made good, while Smith went from second to third. An unassisted double play by Lewis for Anaheim was the feature of the game. Line-up:

California.		All Stars.
White	pitcher	Schimpf
Childs		
C. Meyers	catcher	Bliss
Meyers	first base	Nealon
Butler	second base	Eagan
Smith	third base	Devereaux
Lewis	shortshop	Mackune
Solinsky	center field	Spencer
Reid	left field	Williams
A. Meyers	right field	Heitmuller

Umpire—Perrine.

KENTUCKY DERBY.

RACING AT LOUISVILLE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LOUISVILLE, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Although the State Racing Commission has not yet formally granted dates, it is assured that the Kentucky Derby will be run at Churchill Downs, this year, on May 2. Col. Matt J. Winn, vice-president and general manager of the local track, said today:

"The new Louisville Club intends to comply with the law in every respect. No statement has as yet been made about betting, but if it be against the law, there will be no betting."

This means that there will surely be a race meet here. There will be no repetition of the Hot Springs meet of last spring. It is probable that there will be a modified manner of booking, similar to that in use in the East.

Racing at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Feb. 12.—Fair Grounds results:

Three and a half furlongs: Marse Abe won, Tony second, Pocatelife third; time 0:44 3-5.

Five and one-half furlongs: The Leaf won, My Love second, Night Mist third; time 1:11 2-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Hasty Agnes won, Mac Hamilton second, Lotus Brandt third; time 1:10 3-5.

Six furlongs, the Mississippi selling stakes: Woodlane won, Aunt Rose second, Al Muller third; time 1:17 1-5.

Six furlongs: Raibert won, French Nun second, Funniclaire third; time 1:17 2-5.

Mile and three-sixteenths: Bright Boy won, High Bear second, John McBride third; time 2:08.

Mile and three-sixteenths: John Smulski won, Hoorsy second, Paul third; time 2:04 4-5.

Business College Wins.

The Southern California Business College team defeated the Echo Park playgrounds baseball team by the score of 9 to 6. The line-up was as follows:

S.C.B.C. — McGaugh, third base; Cate, first base; Welsh, catcher; Brisswalter, pitcher; Black, shortstop; Vejar, second base; English, left field; Pico, center field; Watress, right field; Benola, second base.

Echo Park—Kinklin, left field; Newman, center field; Defront, catcher; Hate, shortstop; McAllen, second base; M. Newman, third base; Saluter, right field; O'Connor, pitcher; Byran, first base.

Another A.A.U. Meeting.

The next meeting of the Southern California commission of the A.A.U. will be held Saturday at 1:15 o'clock, at the Federation Club. Several cases of questioned amateur standing will be investigated, among them those of Richard Slaughter of Hollywood High School and E. J. Morris of the Orange Y.M.C.A. G. B. Freeth, captain of the Redondo water basketball team, will be given another hearing. Curtis King of L.A. High will also appear before the commission in connection with the management of the recent indoor baseball league.

Kentucky Horse Sale.

LEXINGTON (Ky.) Feb. 12.—The feature of today's horse sales here were the disposal of G. J. and G. B. Cecil's stud of Danville, Ky. The best price was for George Gano, one of the best sons of Gambetta-Wilkes, which was sold for $7500, to Walter R. Cox of Nashua, N. H.

Pitcher Gilbert Signs.

REDLANDS, Feb. 12.—Rufus W. Gilbert, who was recently drafted from the Western Association by the Three I League for the next season, has signed as pitcher with the Peoria, Ill., team. Gilbert is in charge of the physical work in the Redlands public schools, and at the close of the school year he will leave for his eastern duties.

Mrs. Munn Is Leading.

CORONADO, Feb. 12.—In today's play of the second day of the women's golf tournament at Coronado, Mrs. Munn won from Mrs. W. S. Thomas, five up and four to play. Mrs. George Sturgis won from Miss Tobie by the same score. Mrs. Heberingle won from Mrs. Edwards by default, while Miss Rockwood won from Mrs. Jackson by default. The semi-finals will be played tomorrow.

Harry Howell's Spitball.

Harry Howell, one of the original exponents of the spitball, says that he will continue to use the wet ball this year.

"Deprive me of the wet ball," said Harry, "and I will be forced to quit the game. Regardless of the talk of Fielder Jones, Clarke Griffith, Chance, Jennings and others leaders, you will find Walsh, Chesbro and myself using the same stuff the coming season. The majority of boxmen in the American and National leagues are against the wet ball because they cannot use it or develop a ball to offset it. There are few pitchers in either league who can control a successful slow ball. Fred Glade's only failing was inability to use a slow delivery. Now what is a pitcher worth if he doesn't possess a change of pace? Glade refused to be taught how to throw a slow ball. I offered to hand him my one baseball asset, the spitball, but he refused. We all know that he possesses, like Waddell, Donovan, Young and others, a terrible fast ball, but after the batsmen have 'seen him' once or twice they discover his weakness. What is the result? Nothing but long, hard chances in the outfield, and many games lost. Our outfielders worked harder behind Glade than any twirler we ever owned. The records will show this. The wet ball will live as long as baseball is played. Any amateur can curve a ball if he possesses any strength. He can study the batters, but if he doesn't own a change of pace he don't last a season."

Russians Good Breeders.

Ed. Geers says he cannot spare the time to attend the Imperial trotting meeting to be held in Russia, to which the best of America's trotters and pacers have been invited, but the veteran horseman hopes that this country will be represented. A meeting of this kind with American representation will do more than anything else to offset unjust legislation against racing in America," says Mr. Geers. The Tennessee Silent Man is engaged with contracts he says he cannot cancel or he might take a few of his cracks and other harness stars he could command to battle with the best in Russia. Geers says that in a few years the Russians will be breeding and sending trotters to America if the war on racing continues in America. The best blood, according to his ideas, will come from across the ocean.

Schaefer's Little Shaver.

Jake Schaefer, the billiard player, says: "I am closing on 55 years of age. Do you know I've been playing professional billiards for a matter of thirty-five years, and some before that. Soon Schaefer will be a back number, that is, this Schaefer will be, but the name may continue to live in prominence, for there's a little Schaefer, now 13 years old, who is ticking them off right now, giving much of the early promise that distinguished Willie Hoppe when he wore knickerbockers."

Keith Remains Abroad.

President Tillman of the University of Arkansas, stated that he was positive Charles Keith, star twirler of the Travelers last year, and sold to the St. Louis Browns, would not return to America this summer to play baseball. Keith is now attending Oxford University, as a holder of a Rhodes scholarship, and was for several years a student of the University of Arkansas.

Westerner Leads in Golf.

PINEHURST (N. C.) Feb. 12.—Roderick L. MacLeay of the Waverly Golf Club of Portland, Or., led a record field of 129 participants in the qualification round of the fourth annual St. Valentine tournament today, with a card of eighty. Second in line were J. E. Porter of Pittsburgh, E. A. Freeman of Brooklyn, and A. C. Travis of New York, 84 each; the remainder of the field finishing close up.

Game Is Postponed.

The basketball game between the girls' teams of L.A. High and Throop, which was scheduled to be played yesterday afternoon, was again postponed at the instance of the Throop team. Monday has been set as the date of the game. There are now four postponed games in the Girls' County League basketball schedule.

Miles After Gould.

LONDON, Feb. 12.—Eustace Miles will leave here for the United States March 10 to make an attempt to win the American amateur court tennis championship honors, as well as to regain the British championship wrested from him last summer by Jay Gould.

Racing in Northwest.

Horse racing will be conducted in the northwest this year, as meetings will be held at Seattle, Tacoma, Butte, Anaconda, Petaluma and Vancouver. The Pacific Coast Jockey Club will govern these meetings, and will also allot dates. The added money in all overnight races will be $350, while in handicaps it will be $900. New tracks will be built at Vancouver and Spokane. When the meeting at Oakland ends in May the northwestern tracks will get busy with a season that will extend from May 23 to October 22.

Gotch Making Tour.

Champion Wrestler Gotch, who says he will beat Hackenschmidt, the Russian lion, when they meet in this country, has just finished a tour of the East and also appeared at Chicago, opening in Lewiston on February 17. one-night stands will be played in all large cities where the big fellow has not appeared recently, and the last stop will be at Dallas on March 14. Gotch will wrestle the best men that can be secured to oppose him in each city.

Buying Home Products.

The possibility of home products for the army of baseball teams in Washington and Oregon is suggested by the decision of Manager Dugdale to outfit his players in Seattle, so far as is possible. His investigations have already proved that he can purchase all knitted goods to advantage in the home market and his orders have already been given.

Proper Rowing Stroke.

English authorities are engaged in a discussion as to the proper stroke. The college experts have reached the belief that in a close race a crew must be able to spurt and that it was the impossibility of doing this without a rhythm which lost the "Grand" to Leander. Stroke D. C. R. Stuart can take a crew off quickly, they believe, but it has proved difficult in his style to sprint once the stroke has been lowered. It is pointed out on the other hand that the Belgians, who row a shorter stroke, are always in a position to run the heat up and in this way win from a more sluggish British crew, which uses the longer and more laborious stroke in vogue in England for several decades. England may be depended on to have both schools of rowing to rely on at the coming Olympic regatta.

Do You Play Diabolo?

If you don't, you're missing one of the pleasantest diversions imaginable. To watch one spin the double-headed top upon a single string, throw it into the air, catch it again and keep it spinning as merrily as before—is to get the craze. See it demonstrated on the third floor today. Get the craze.

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100 New Skirts to Sell at $4.95 And a Great Waist Day Today.

72-in. All Linen Table Damask $1

Full bleached or cream colored table damask in pretty floral patterns, full 72 inches wide; very special today only, $1.00 yard; section B, main floor.

8-4 HEMSTITCHED TABLE CLOTHS $1.25

Pure linen 8-4 hemstitched table cloth in neat floral designs; marked regularly $1.50; today only $1.25.

$1.75 BLEACHED LINEN NAPKINS $1.25

Snow bleached linen napkins in floral designs, 22x22. Limit of 12 to a customer.

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$1.25 TURKISH TOWELS, DOZEN $1.00

20x40 cream colored Turkish towels with fringed ends; limit of 12.

Two features of the very first importance, coming as they do from the Fashion Center.

100 new skirts of plain and mixed Panama and Sicilian, plaited styles with folds. A variety of colors, but the style is the strong feature; the material and tailoring are perfect. Close to the best values we ever saw to sell at $4.95. Second floor, today.

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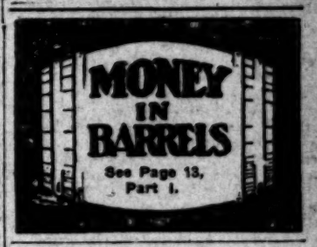

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The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 3000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

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FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH, FLOWER AND 9th. Revival meetings nightly. Dr. Henry, Prof. Stout. Chorus choir.

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PERSONAL — THE WORLD'S GREATEST astrologer and psychic, MILBURN, Who, considering a psychic consult the best. Milburn is the acknowledged leader of them all. Permanently located in Los Angeles. He advises you with a power higher than human. He brings sunshine and success in your life, telling you how to overcome enemies and obstacles. Work guaranteed. 428 W. SIXTH ST. Hours 10 to 8, daily and Sundays.

PERSONAL—SEE

HENLEY.

THE SUCCESSFUL PSYCHIC.

This man can tell you all about your social or business affairs; it pays to consult one who knows. Don't delay; call today.

355 SOUTH HILL, NEAR 4TH.

PERSONAL—MME. ANNUVE, THE GIFTED psychic, $1 reading, this week, 50c. Before undertaking anything concerning your future consult this life reader. Past, present and future. Her readings are miraculous. 743 S. BROADWAY, bet. 7th and 8th sts.

PERSONAL—LADIES, ASK YOUR DRUGgist for Chichester's Pills, the Diamond Brand. For 25 years known as best, purest, always reliable. Take no other. Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills are sold by all druggists.

PERSONAL—LADIES, USE DR. LA FRANco's Compound; safe, speedy regulator; 25c; druggists or mail; book of and testimonial free. DR. LA FRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

PERSONAL — LADIES, I FIT THE FACE. Millinery at half price of ground floor stores. MADAM DOSCH, 221 S. Hill st.

PERSONAL — MANICURING, ELECTRIC vibratory treatments for rheumatism and nervous ailments. 107 W. THIRD, room 4. 15

PERSONAL—MADAM ORA, PALMIST AND card reader. Ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 203½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, CARD reader; ladies, 25c; gents, 50c. 203½ S. SPRING.

PERSONAL — MME. JENNINGS ROGERS, psychic; test meetings Thursday, 3 p.m.; readings daily. 319½ S. SPRING. 17

WANTED—
Help, Male.

WANTED — SALESMAN TO SELL OUR goods to the classes of mercnants; fine side lines; big profits; liberal terms. MODEL MFG. CO., Dept. T, South Bend, Ind.

WANTED—SOLICITORS WHO WANT TO make 200 per cent. on light high-class work call L. A. TRUST BLDG.

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WANTED—I HAVE A PLACE FOR ONE carpenter at $1.50 per day. Apply at job, 4227 S. GRAND AVE., bring your tools.

WANTED—UP-TO-DATE, FIRST-CLASS solicitors, both ladies and gentlemen; good proposition. 214 UNION TRUST.

WANTED — A FIRST-CLASS CLOTHING and furnishing goods salesman. Apply 320 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED CROSS-CUT man in box factory. Apply MILLER HIVE & BOX CO., Pasadena ave. and Ave. 18.

WANTED—A BARBER. CALL BEFORE noon today. HOOKER, 210 W. Third st.

WANTED—4 SOLICITORS; GOOD, QUICK money. Apply at 427 E. NINTH ST.

WANTED—BOY FOR WAGON. 328 TEMPLE ST.

WANTED—CARPENTER: BRING TOOLS 501 S. MAIN.

WANTED—
Help, Male.

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HUMMEL BROS. & CO.,

A strictly first-class agency,

All kinds of help promptly furnished.

Your orders solicited.

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Largest and best equipped offices on Pacific Coast.

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Landscape gardener, $60 and room; married man, German, to raise vegetables, $30 and house; married man with grown son, for dairy, $60 and house; beeman, Imperial, $80; ranch hands, $26, $30 etc.; milkers, $35, $40 etc.

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Private stand waiter, hotel, $30 etc.; bell boy, hotel, city, $15 etc.; bakers' helper, $15; dinner cook, (no Sunday,) $15; pastry cook, hotel, $60 etc. 13

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Fire-proof construction.

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Apply in person to superintendent.

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WANTED—

HOME F4513.

SECURITY EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,

209 San Fernando Bldg.,

Corner Fourth and Main.

Let us furnish you with

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WANTED—JAPANESE

HARRY NAKADO EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.

Oldest agency in the city.

207 E. SECOND ST., Los Angeles.

HOME A4621. MAIN 2634.

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WANTED—JAPANESE

PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU,

Largest and most popular agency,

311½ W. Sixth st., Los Angeles, Cal.

House cleaning department.

Widow cleaning department.

Phones—Home F1078; Main 1714.

General labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility.

WANTED— PRO. M. HAYASHIDA.

JAPANESE A. M. EMPLOYMENT AGENCY.

Your patronage solicited.

We furnish cooks, waiters, porters, housecleaners, etc., with responsibility. 'Phone F1088, Main 6128. 604½ W. SIXTH ST.

WANTED—SOLICITOR, FIRST-CLASS GROcery solicitor; one with ability to handle high-grade business; must be willing to live at beach; state experience, reference and salary expected. Address L, box 120, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—

JAPANESE EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,

420 W. Sixth st. Home 5553, Main 5233.

COOKS, WAITERS, PORTERS.

Ranch hands, house and window cleaners

HOUR, DAY OR CONTRACT.

WANTED — 2 MEN TO MANAGE CITY stores for us; salary $25 per week; small capital required; we are also going to open a few stores in outside towns on same terms. Call or address BURNS-WHARTON, manufacturers, 2200 S. Main.

WANTED—

HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,

204 E. Second st. Phones A4369, Main 383.

6-horse teamster, Arizona, $40 month and board; man to run trolley car, Arizona, $60 month and found.

WANTED—REAL ESTATE SALESMAN; one who has had experience in handling high-class subdivisions; prefer one who has auto or horse and surrey; good money for the right man. Address K, box 183, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—TRAVELING SALESMAN, California territory; laces, embroideries and gents' furnishings on commission; a good proposition for a hustler that means business and can put in two weeks or more for 20 days. Call ROOM 504, 212 W. Third.

WANTED — YOUNG MAN OF GOOD APpearance for position of trust; good salary and transportation; must be willing to travel. ANDREWS & MARGRAVE, 430 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—SURVEYOR TO PLAT 40-ACRE tract close to city, and take good real estate for work. If you are not busy, get busy. GRANADA REALTY CO., 318 Union Trust Bldg.

WANTED—I MADE $50,000 IN FIVE YEARS in the mail-order business; began with $5. Any one can do the work. Send for free booklet; tells how to get started. Manager, BOX 675, Jackson, N. Y.

WANTED—EXPERIENCED MANAGER FOR full line agateware, tinware and household goods generally, $75 and percentage. Fresno. INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BUREAU, 626 Bryson Block.

WANTED—MAN THOROUGHLY FAMILIAR with cement business; one who can estimate on contracts and take entire charge of work; must be reliable man and know his business. Address L, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — NEWSPAPER CARRIER, ON foot route; one not attending school preferred; can carry other routes. Call between 12 and 2 o'clock. THE SAN FRANCISCO BULLETIN, 105 S. Broadway, Main 5146.

WANTED — THOROUGHLY EXPERIENCED dress goods and domestic salesman; good stock-keeper, San Bernardino, $100. INDUSTRIAL & COMMERCIAL BUREAU, 626 Bryson Blk.

WANTED—A FINE APPEARING GIRL physician with recent hospital experience; must be good case taker; good salary; permanent; no traveling. Call at 747 S. MAIN ST.

WANTED—RELIABLE MAN TO JOIN well organized prospecting party; everything furnished; one to three years' contract. References required. 302 FAY BLK.

WANTED—MEN WHO ARE WILLING TO make $10 to $50 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OA, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—BOOK-KEEPER FOR GROCERY at beach; good position to right party; state experience and salary expected. Address L, box 129, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — MAN FOR COUNTRY DRY goods store. Apply between 4:30 and 5, to COOPER, COATE & CASEY DRY GOODS STORE, 328-30 S. Los Angeles.

WANTED—MEN WHO COULD DEVOTE A few hours each week at their homes for a good compensation. Address OE, box 121, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—A TRAVELING MAN, $18 PER week and expenses; a deposit required. Call between 8 and 11 a.m., at room 4, 244½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED FOREMAN for big marble and onyx company; reference required. Call, hours 9 to 12. ROOM 208, O. T. Johnson Bldg.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS ADVERTISING solicitors for directory proposition. Apply after 9 a.m. BAUMGARDT PUB. CO., 116 N. Broadway.

WANTED—GOOD SPECIALTY SALESMAN. Commission only. Good chance for live man. AMERICAN ULTIGRAPH SALES COMPANY, 450 P. E. Bldg.

WANTED — BOY TO DRIVE BUTCHER wagon. LEVY'S, 859 Spring st.

WANTED—
Male or Female Help. (Investment Required.)

WANTED — STEADY MAN AS PARTNER in fine-paying, established cash business, who can invest $250, with services; this business will pay you $125 per month as your part; clean, agreeable work, that requires no former experience, as owner is experienced and will teach you the business; you must be reliable man. Call 127 S. BROADWAY, room 315, Mason Operahouse Bldg.

WANTED — MAN TO TAKE CHARGE OF fine-paying cigar stand on W. Sixth st., who can invest $150; I will take $100 cash, balance $10 monthly, no interest; splendid fixtures; fresh stock of cigars and tobaccos; 2 years' lease; rent $20 monthly; come quick. See OWNER, 702 S. Spring st., room 309.

WANTED — SECRETARY, ESTABLISHED manufacturing concern; a fine future; must invest $1500 to $2500; 10 per cent. dividend guaranteed. Address L, box 169, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — GOOD, RELIABLE MAN TO take the agency for good selling article; must have a little cash. Apply 303 N. SAN PEDRO ST., corner Market.

WANTED — GOOD MAN FOR BAKERY route; pays $25 per week; no experience necessary; little money required. Call 202 BYRNE BLDG., Third and Broadway.

WANTED—MEN, $10 WILL START YOU TO earning $50 per week. Call 211 SEVERANCE Bldg., Sixth and Main.

WANTED—MAN TO START NURSERY AT Bird Rock Beach. M. HALL, San Diego, Cal.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

WANTED — GOOD GIRL TO ASSIST IN housework in family of two and help take care of baby. 1124 W. 17TH ST.

WANTED — GIRL TO ASSIST IN HOUSEwork; treated as one of the family; wages $3 a week. 1540 E. 20TH.

WANTED—CAPABLE WOMAN FOR GENeral housework; family of 2 adults; references. 927 S. HILL.

WANTED—2 WAITRESSES AT THE HOTEL WOODWARD, 423 W. Eighth.

WANTED—2 EXPERIENCED WAITRESSES. HOTEL HOLLYWOOD, Hollywood.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork. Apply at 2455 S. FLOWER ST.

WANTED—
Help, Female.

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WANTED—SALESWOMEN. WE DESIRE TO secure the services of a high class man or woman as agent for the sale of an oil company stock that has just been organized; has $50,000 cash in its treasury and is a live going concern located in a proven oil field. To the right man or the right woman we can give the best opportunity to make money that ever was offered in the State of California. No one need apply unless they can furnish references as to their standing, reliability and furnish evidence of a reasonable amount of successful experience. We do not expect many replies to this advertisement, but what we do get must be genuine.

Address with full particulars and your reply will be treated not only confidential, but answered promptly.

Address EE, box 178, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—HUMMEL BROS. & CO., 116 E. 2nd st., 6 waitresses, city and country, $25 etc.; cook, country, $35 etc.; pastry cook, $15 week; no Sunday; chambermaid, wait table, $20 etc.; waitress, Arizona, $35 etc.; starch ironer, Imperial Valley, 42½c day; girl for mixed work, $25 etc. HUMMEL BROS. & CO.

WANTED — 2 HOTEL WAITRESSES, $25, found; 2 cafeteria girls; chambermaids, rooming-houses, $20 and board, $25, found, and $35; kitchen woman, $7, board; cook, boarding-house, $40; housegirls, $25, $30 and $35. BROADWAY EMPLOYMENT OFFICE, 316 S. Broadway.

WANTED — HANSEN EMPLOYMENT AGENCY, 204 E. 2nd st. Phones A4369, Main 383. Hotel waitresses, city and out, $25 month; chambermaids, city, $25 month and board; solicitor, $15 week; house girls, $25, $20 month; waitress, Arizona, $35 month; new orders every day.

WANTED—LADIES WITH SPARE HOURS at home to make sofa pillow tops; copy design for wholesale house, new processes; we teach you; pays $5 to $16 weekly. Call WOMAN'S NATIONAL ART EXCHANGE, 754 S. Broadway.

WANTED—LADIES TO MAKE SOFA PILlow tops at home for wholesale house; steady work, good pay; experience unnecessary; unlimited demand. IDEAL ART CO., room 18, 615½ S. Spring st.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work; must know how to cook and be neat and clean. New house, hardwood floors, private bath; no washing. $25. 654 S. BONNIE BRAE.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY SOLICITOR FOR newspaper subscription work; pleasant work; good wages. Call after 9 a.m. Rm. 8, E. JAMES, care Lino Printing Co., 649 S. Main.

WANTED—BRIGHT YOUNG LADY BOOKkeeper; must be good writer, figurer, neat worker and willing to master details of office position. Address L, box 128, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GIRL TO DO GENERAL HOUSE work in private family; one that will appreciate a good home. 2832 MENLO AVE.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS SITUATIONS AND select help secured by MISS A. A. BARTLETT, room 619, Chamber of Commerce Bldg., Pasadena, Cal. Home 835. Sunset 1506.

WANTED—A WOMAN TO DO WORK IN rooming-house, for housekeeping room and some wages. Apply ROOM 5, 416 W. Sixth st.

WANTED—LADIES WHO COULD DEVOTE a few hours each week at their homes for a good compensation. Address OA, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—LADIES WHO ARE WILLING to do fine work at $5 to $25 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OE, box 105, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED WOMAN FOR meat carver in cafeteria. Apply this morning. ANDREWS & MARGRAVE, 430 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—YOUNG LADY OF EXCELLENT appearance, who is a stenographer; salary $6 week; light work. ANDREWS & MARGRAVE, 430 I. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—LADIES TO INTRODUCE Threadeasy sewing machine needles. Liberal commission. H. O. DAVIS, 235 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED — EXPERIENCED GIRL FOR cooking and downstairs work; wages $20. 1323 ALVARADO TERRACE. Pico Heights car.

WANTED—A MIDDLE AGED WOMAN TO do general house work, three in family; wages $20 per month. MRS. D. W. JONES, 1803 Maple ave.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work. Apply JEWELRY DEPT., Central Dept. Store, 600 S. Broadway. MRS. VANDERBURG.

WANTED—MILLINERY TRIMMER. CALL at 1. E. RUSSELL'S, 416 S. Los Angeles st. To go out of city. Hours between 9 and 10 o'clock Thursday.

WANTED—WOMAN TO DO WASHING AT house each week; no employment agent need answer. HOME 29072.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSE work; no washing. 836 BURLINGTON.

WANTED—GIRL TO WORK IN BINDERY, GILBERT, JONES, RUGG CO., 600 E. 2nd st.

WANTED — REFINED AMERICAN GIRL for house work; good cook. Address 1500 MILLARD AVE. Phone West 5777.

WANTED—GIRL FOR GENERAL HOUSEwork in family of two adults; two children. 'Phone C1137. No. 511 E. AVENUE 28.

WANTED—UP-TO-DATE, FIRST-CLASS SOlicitors, both ladies and gentlemen; good proposition. 314 UNION TRUST.

WANTED — A GIRL FOR GENERAL housework; must be a good cook. 2027 HARVARD BLVD.

WANTED—GERMAN GIRL TO DO WASHing and housework. Call 841 BEACON. 'Phone E2274.

WANTED—GIRL OR WOMAN TO HELP IN light house work; good home and good wages 1053½ N. FREMONT AVE.

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WANTED — LADIES FOR HOME WORK; easy and profitable; experience unnecessary. Address F, box 60, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
Help, Male and Female.

WANTED — LADIES AND GENTLEMEN with a few spare hours a day; a splendid proposition. Apply GREAT AMERICAN IMPORTING TEA CO.'S STORES, 133 S. Broadway, 454 S. Broadway.

WANTED—SOLICITORS, EITHER MEN OR women; salary $81 per month. Call today, from 8 to 11 a.m., at room 4, 244½ S. BROADWAY.

WANTED—A COUPLE OF EXPERIENCED solicitors to sell first-class toilet article. Call after 5:30 p.m. today. ROOM 216, Mason Bldg.

WANTED — BEST PROFESSIONALS; REPertoire company; one amateur. Address L, box 13, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED — TWO SOLICITORS FOR portraits. Apply at 425 EAST 9TH ST.

WANTED—BOYS AND GIRLS ARE MAKing $2.50 and $3 per day. Why not you? 353 SAN FERNANDO BLDG.

WANTED — AMATEURS FOR FRIDAY night. Call or address mgr. of Fisher's Theater, prizes to all.

WANTED—STENOGRAPHER; MUST HAVE reporting speed. 'PHONE A1914.

WANTED—
Male or Female Help. (Instruction Course.)

WANTED—LEARN OPTICS; ORDINARY, good business, $5 to $10 daily profits; free college prospectus explains our graduate course by mail, with diplomas in 4 to 6 weeks; also free scholarship; lady opticians wonderfully successful. INTERSTATE COLLEGE OF OPTICS, Louisville, Ky.

WANTED—YOUNG MEN TO LEARN BRICK laying and plastering; under a competent instructor. We will teach you in 4 months; that you can work on house jobs. 3300 S. MAIN. Phones Home 25840; Sunset South 5556.

WANTED — LADIES, $25 CASH SECURES you an income of $40 per month. Call between 9 and 5 o'clock at room 413, STIMSON BLOCK.

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WANTED—A CLIENT HAS TO RAISE $1000 to complete a real estate deal and will pay liberally for it for 60 days, and put up first class stock as collateral.
LA MONT,
Room 117, 254 S. Broadway.

MONEY TO LOAN—
$40,000 for 3 years, 7 per cent., on Main, Spring or Broadway property, between Second and Sixth sts.; also other amounts.
R. A. ROWAN & CO.,
200 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

WANTED—MONEY—$350—
If you want a gilt-edge trust deed for $350, due in one year, to net you 10 per cent. interest, payable quarterly, see me early Tuesday morning.
'Phone A2730. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—$10,000, $12,000, $20,000, AS WELL as larger and smaller sums, at current high rates for long or short terms, secured by listed approved bonds and stocks, or realty. LOUIS BLANKENHORN, Investment Securities, 204 West 5th st., Los Angeles.

WANTED—MONEY—
I have some gilt-edge guaranteed mortgages which will net you 8 per cent. per annum, payable monthly. Don't you think that better than savings bank interest? See me promptly.
'Phone A2730. WATSON, 322 L. A. Trust Bldg.

WANTED—$800; 1 YEAR, GOOD CHATTEL security; will pay 2 per cent. per month; will pay it in 90 days, but will pay the whole year's interest; will give best of city references. 1047 OVERTON ST. Apply by letter.

WANTED—TO BORROW $7000 ON FIRST-class improved business property, worth 3 times amount of the loan; corner on principal street, close in, southwest; will pay 8 per cent. net. DAVID BARRY & CO., 215 Union Trust Bldg. Main 4083, F4083.

WANTED—$300 FOR 30 DAYS; FIRST-CLASS local stock security; will pay 10 per cent.; prompt action necessary.
LA MONT,
Room 117, 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED—WE HAVE CLIENTS FOR LOANS of $3000 and $5000, 2 or 3 years, at 8 per cent., on improved city property. INGRAM & BRIGGS, 901 Union Trust Bldg. 'Phones Main 29, F2263.

WANTED — FOR SALE, GILT-EDGE PURchase money mortgages secured by A1 improved farm lands, in amounts from $300 to $5000; will discount. Address L, box 51, TIMES OFFICE.

STOCKS AND BONDS—
And Mortgages.

LOWER CAL. GOLD. DREDGING—(BID.)
Will trade 100,000 shares of good copper stock for beach property. 314 UNION TRUST BLDG.

BEST GOLDFELD, COLUMBIA, 125,000 shares for $5000 cash. 314 UNION TRUST BLDG.

FOR SALE—5000 SHARES LUCILE MINING Co. stock, cheap for cash. BOX 32, Buena Park, R. F. D.

BRING IN YOUR STOCKS, LISTED or unlisted. We can sell or trade.
Will buy—
P. B. Steifer,
Mt. Gaines,
Lower Cal. Gold Dredging,
Anti-Friction Journal Box,
Llge Harris,
Black Butte Bonanza,
Black Butte Extension,
Will sell—
Nevada Frisbe,
Lucas Placer,
Silver Pick Leasing, 1000 shares for $25.00.
22,000 shares Clover Leaf Vibrator stock, bid.
Black Butte Copper, 31 per 1000 shares.
314 UNION TRUST.

REYNOLDS AND MANN,
445-46 San Fernando Bldg., 4th and Main. Phones F1977; Main 6248.
Will buy—
Copper Creek.
Anti-Friction J. B.
Pacific Wireless.
Will sell—
Mt. Gaines, Desert Queen, Standard Mines No. 1 and Southern Telephone Electric.

FOR SALE—P. B. STEIFER, AT $2.10.
National Sugar, cheap.
Southern Telephone Electric, at $11.
Standard Mines No. 1, at 4c.
Elk Consolidated Oil, at 22c.
Security Land and Loan Co., cheap.
J. B. ZINN & CO.,
315-320 Grant Bldg. A7646.

FOR SALE—CORDILLERA MINING STOCK. Still have a block which I can sell at $2.00. This property will produce more silver and copper than Comstock ever did, and at a less depth. One square mile of territory, and only 17 miles from railroad, with good wagon roads; also have 10,000 shares Newport Bay Oil stock, which can deliver at 25c a share. H. G. ELLIOTT, box 268, Station C.

BONDS FOR SALE; $5000 OF 5 PER CENT. sinking fund bonds. A purchaser, of suitable character and ability can have position of trust with a realty Co. Owning extensive property. Address H, 698, HOTEL ANGELUS.

FOR SALE—A SMALL BLOCK OF LOWER California Gold Dredging, at a bargain. We also have some first-class mining and oil stock to exchange for good real estate, or real estate for stock, or stock for stock. STRADER & STRADER, 208 Delta Bldg., 426 South Spring. Phone F7179.

LOANS MADE ON STOCKS AND BONDS, U. S. Steel, So. Pac., Union Pac. and 50 other good stocks sold on installments; write me what you have and wish to buy, sell or borrow on; prompt, reliable service. C. E. RANKIN, Monadnock Bldg., San Francisco.

SMALL AND LARGE INVESTORS INVESTigate purchase of stock in an Independent Short Line Railway in Arizona, that will pay big dividends. Address for interview, L, box 144, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—TO HIGHEST BIDDER TODAY, 10,000 Johnnie Greenwater Consolidated; 500 California Wave Motor; 2000 Inglewood Sanatorium. J. H. G. STODDEN CO., 417 Byrne Bldg.

HAVE YOUR BUYING ORDERS EXECUted on the floor of Los Angeles Stock Exchange and save money. ISAAC SPRINGER & CO., 258 Wilcox Bldg. Member Los Angeles Stock Exchange.

FOR SALE—CHEAP, 3000 LOS ANGELES Stove stock and 5000 Portland Gold Mining (Echo Lee.) Inquire 712 UNION TRUST BLDG.

WILL SACRIFICE PART OF MY HOLDings in a producing oil company; a good buy; must have the money. Address L, box 175, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$600 SHARES DESERT QUEEN; 2000 Manhattan Breyfogle. These will be sold cheap for cash. Call on MRS. SWEET, 627 Chamber of Commerce.

FOR SALE—$1000, MORTGAGE ON GILT edge city property, due in two years, interest 8 per cent., payable quarterly. Address L box 6, TIMES OFFICE.

WILL PAY TWENTY-FIVE CENTS FOR National Sugar, four thousand shares or less. Address L, box 78, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—$55,000, TO TAKE FIRST MORTgage on property valued at $125,000; 8 per cent., for 3 to 5 years. Address L, box 11, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—$10,000 MORTGAGE ON A VALuable piece of property; will be due in May, drawing 6% per cent. Give me an offer. 210 WILSON BLDG.

THINGS ON WHEELS—
All Sorts.

AUTOMOBILES.

MAIN 8516. F5516.
PERKINS AUTOMOBILE EXCHANGE.
We are not the oldest dealers in automobiles in the city, but we are the largest and have more bargains to offer in slightly used cars than all the other dealers in the city put together. We have them at all prices from $50 to $900 and every one a bargain, all cars guaranteed as represented.
PERKINS AUTOMOBILE EXCHANGE,
Opposite the postoffice.
605-7-9 West Seventh st.

FOR SALE—THE BEST SECOND-HAND AUtomobile in Los Angeles, 20-H.P. Peerless touring car, in perfect order throughout and equipped as follows: Top, glass front, storm curtains, generator, 5 new tires (with canvas covers,) trunk rack, wicker hamper, tire irons, extra seat in tonneau and a complete assortment of tools; entire car inside and out will stand the most thorough inspection; come out and see it run; price $2500 cash. E. C. THOMAS, 714 Carondelet st. E2414.

FOR SALE—BRAND-NEW HAYNES TOURing car, 1908 machine, 40-h.p., all extras, top, speedometer, glass front, shock absorbers, extra tire, 4 new inner tubes, top apron, magneto, best lamps, everything complete; car only run from Los Angeles to Pasadena; cost new $4500; tourist spending winter here; sickness in family; have no use for car; great bargain. 'Phone PASADENA HOME 1019 or SUNSET 1109, between 5 and 6 p.m.

FOR SALE—LIGHT DELIVERY TRUCK. Just overhauled and repainted, which will easily do the work of 2 or 3 teams. Has an extra large bed and is geared to make about 12 miles an hour. Just the thing for contractor, hardware, bottled water, etc. Exceptional bargain that cannot be duplicated. Price only $400 cash. E. C. THOMAS, 714 Carondelet st. E2414.

REPAIRING AT THE RIGHT PRICE AND promptly by skilled workman, at garage, 65 cents per hour, at your place, 75 cents, actual time; largest automobile establishment in city. THE AUTO EXHIBIT CO., 120-122-124 and 126 E. 9th, near Main st.

TOURIST RETURNING TO NEW YORK February 15, will sell elegant new, modern touring car, perfect condition, top and extras; cash or partial payments; no trade. Morning or evening. WELLS, 730 Beacon st. Phone E3447.

AT A BIG SNAP, A 5-PASSENGER AUTOmobile for sale. This car has just been thoroughly gone over and is in absolutely first-class repair. Will sell at a very reasonable figure if taken at once. For particulars inquire 803 S. SPRING ST.

FOR SALE—ONE MAXWELL RUNABOUT, also one light touring car, taken in exchange for larger Maxwell cars; for sale at most interesting prices; both very little used, A1 and guaranteed. Call 1321 SOUTH MAIN.

WANTED—TO RENT, AUTOMOBILE BY the month; will keep in first-class order, or buy on installments; must be cheap; give full particulars. Address L, box 67, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—FORD, MAXWELL, FRANKLIN runabout, or small touring car and cash, in exchange for $1900 equity in new 4-room modern house at Long Beach. $600 mortgage. Address O. E. KELLUM, Burnett, Cal.

WANTED—FOR SPOT CASH, GOOD SECond-hand light touring car or heavy runabout; state make, what year's model, price and time used. Address G, box 54, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR EXCHANGE—BEAUTIFUL, NEW MODern 6-room cottage; price $2900; want light runabout or touring car up to $1000. Call 3773 TRINITY ST., or phone South 3532.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE AND $250 CASH for $750 equity in 6-room cottage; cottage rents for $25 per month. Call 535 SECURITY BLDG.

FOR SALE—$4000 POPE-TOLEDO, FIRST-class condition, less than half price. McPHERSON REALTY CO., 234-235 Bradbury Bldg.

WANTED — AN AUTO RUNABOUT OR other; have a good lot; some stock and a little cash. BRADLEY, 406 Severance Bldg., corner Sixth and Main.

WANT TO BUY AUTOMOBILE FOR OWN use, if can buy right; give make, age and general description; must be cheap. Address L, box 141, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—AUTOMOBILE REPAIR MAN wants to repair your car at your home garage; you save half by this method. Address L, box 140, TIMES OFFICE.

TO LET—6-CYLINDER STEVENS-DURYEA, 5-passenger car, with top and glass front, by week or month. W. J. PRESSO, 1052B S. OLIVE. 'Phone Ex. 66. Main 3196.

FOR SALE — 20-H.P. LIGHT DELIVERY wagon, capacity 1000 lbs., brand new car, cost $1550; will sacrifice for $1075; fully equipped. BOYCE, 1054 West 27th.

FOR EXCHANGE — FOR RUNABOUT Cadillac, preferred; $500 equity in Palms business lot. Address J, box 126, TIMES OFFICE.

THREE ABSOLUTELY FIRST-CLASS NEW automobiles; might consider part clear income. 916 CARONDELET ST.

AUTO TIRES, NEW (DUNLAP 30x3½; 34x4½ G. & J. clincher.) cheap. 815 S. MAIN.

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—
Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—
AT AUCTION.
(TRUSTEE SALE.)
AT AUCTION.
250 HEAD. 250 HEAD.
MAMMOTH AUCTION SALE OF HIGH-CLASS HEAVY DRAFT HORSES AND MULES ON THURSDAY, FEBRUARY 20, AT 10 O'CLOCK AT
EL CENTRO,
IMPERIAL VALLEY.
THIS SALE IS CALLED TO DISPOSE OF THE ENTIRE PLANT AND GRADING OUTFIT OF W. K. PEASLEY. STOCK CONSISTS OF 250 HEAD OF CHOICE SOUND YOUNG HORSES AND MULES, PLOWS, SCRAPERS, HARNESS, WAGONS, ETC. THIS IS WITHOUT DOUBT THE LARGEST SALE OF THIS CLASS OF STOCK EVER HELD IN SOUTHERN CALIFORNIA.
THE ABOVE STOCK ARE AT WORK ON THE CANAL FOR THE C. D. CO. THE WORK WILL BE FINISHED ON THE 20TH. THE STOCK TO BE SOLD ON THE GROUNDS. CONTRACTORS, FARMERS AND DEALERS IN HIGH-GRADE HORSES AND MULES, BE SURE AND ATTEND THIS SALE, AS THEY MUST AND WILL BE SOLD WITHOUT RESERVE OR LIMIT.
S. WATKINS, AUCTIONEER.
OFFICE, 308 S. LOS ANGELES ST.

FOR SALE—BEAUTIFUL BLACK PAIR OF horses for park or brougham; perfectly matched; absolutely sound and well broken for city; 6 years old; horse show team, high stepping; have taken prizes in eastern horse shows; brought here by tourist; will sell cheap. 'Phone PASADENA HOME 1019 or SUNSET 1109, between 5 and 6 p.m.

FOR SALE—
The handsomest surrey horse in the State; 7 years old; 1200 pounds, perfectly sound; lady or child can drive anywhere; also one nice Shetland pony; all silk top and gold-mounted harness; this outfit cost $775; will make low figure. Address E. W. PECK, Home 'Phone F6423.

FOR SALE—AS I AM COMPELLED TO leave the city at once, I will sell my driving outfit at your own price; no reasonable offer refused. Tall, rangy bay horse, weighs 1050; new, rubber-tired runabout and rubber-trimmed harness. 345 S. FLOWER.

FOR SALE—40 HEAD OF FINE YOUNG horses, weight from 1000 to 1500 lbs.; some well matched teams and single drivers; suitable for ranch or city delivery; these are first-class stock. Come and see them; 30 days' trial. PERRY LOWE, 326-328 Aliso st.

FOR SALE—A GOOD, GENTLE ALL-PURpose horse, weight 1000; 9 years old, suitable for any kind of work; rubber-tired Babcock runabout and harness; $125 for outfit. You may try him. Apply at MEAT MARKET, 23rd and Wall sts., Maple ave. car.

FOR SALE—ONE FRESH FAWN JERSEY cow, years old, very rich milker; one brown Jersey, giving three gallons a day, cheap for cash. 2057 DEWEY AVE., Pasadena Heights.

FOR SALE—AT 825 S. GRAND AVE., 20 head of good ranch mares, ranging in weight from 1000 to 1350; all good workers; also 10 head of nice single drivers.

FOR SALE — SPAN OF ALL-PURPOSE work horses; weight 1300 lbs. each; age 8 and 10; come and try them and make offer. 1701 TEMPLE ST.

FOR SALE—FOR $40, 1 BROWN HORSE, weight 1100 lbs.; true to work, single or double; good all-purpose horse; must sell. Call today, 216 W. NINTH ST.

FOR SALE—GOOD ALL-PURPOSE HORSE drives single or double; weight 1050; age 7; must sell; $65 takes him. 2750 TEMPLE ST.

FOR SALE — SADDLE PONIES, GENTLE burros for children, pack burros and pack saddles. PONY SALES STABLES, 813 S. Raymond ave., Pasadena.

FOR SALE—HOLSTEIN AND JERSEY bulls, registered, herd book stock; Berkshire and Poland China pigs; reliable graded Jersey family cows. NILES, 464 E. Washington.

FOR SALE — 4-GALLON JERSEY, 2-GALlon Jersey heifer, both fresh and rich milkers; $54; milk route. 925 PASADENA AVE.

FOR SALE—4-YEAR-OLD MARE, WEIGHing 950; also buggy and harness, in first-class condition; sell cheap. 2614 S. SAN PEDRO.

FOR SALE—1150-LB. SORREL HORSE, good traveler and good driver; top business buggy and harness; all for $115. 614 E. 7TH.

FOR SALE—NICE YOUNG, SOUND FAMILY horse; also good 1000-pound road horse for sale or exchange for 1200 or 1300-pound surrey horse. 821 W. 16TH.

FOR SALE—A BAY PACING HORSE, 5 years old, very fat, any lady can drive; stand with weight; weight 950. 940 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—GOOD FAMILY HORSE, 8 years old, sound, kind, safe for lady to drive. 1926 ELLENDALE AVE. Call mornings or evenings.

FOR SALE—SMALL TEAM MULES, NEW wagon and harness, cheap, and one cheap work mare; also one nice Shetland pony; all must be sold at once. 712 ALVARADO.

FOR SALE—FRESH JERSEY GUERNSEY cow, gives 3 gallons good rich milk; gentle for lady to handle. Will sell cheap. 1039 SAN PEDRO ST., Pico Heights.

FOR SALE—GOOD RIDING OR DRIVING horse, very gentle; harness, rubber tired buggy, $100. S.W. corner Alhambra Road and Wilson ave., ALHAMBRA.

FOR SALE—$65; BLOCKY-BUILT HORSE, weight 1100 lbs., sound, gentle, work single or double; good puller; would make good ranch horse. Call at 1704 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—BAY MARE; WEIGHT 1100 LBS. sound, gentle, good driver, city broke, stand with weight; been used on laundry wagon; price $75. 1704 S. MAIN.

FOR SALE — RANCH MARE, 1250 LBS.; work single or double; true to pull, and gentle; will sell cheap or trade for small horse. Call today. 1704 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—$40, GOOD, SOUND, GENTLE horse, 1000 lbs.; work good any place; little thin in flesh; just off hard work. 1704 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—SORREL HORSE, 1100 LBS.; work any place; gentle, good puller, stand with weight; city broke; price $65. 1704 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—HORSE, ABOUT 6 YEARS OLD; weight about 1200 lbs.; true puller, double or single; $125 if taken at once. 197 E. 25TH ST.

FOR SALE—TWO MARES, SUITABLE FOR ranch work; $100 for the pair, or will separate. 137 E. 25TH ST.

WANTED—40 SOUND WORK MULES, ONE thousand pounds up, for spot cash at once. CHAS. J. RUSSELL, U. S. Hotel, city.

FOR SALE—TWO GOOD SOUND HORSES, cheap; not suitable for our work. PROSPECT BAKING CO., 119 N. Daly st.

FOR SALE — 4 GOOD ALL PURPOSE horses; weight 1000 to 12000 lbs. 940 CENTRAL AVE.

FOR SALE—GOOD RANCH TEAM, WEIGHT 2900 lbs.; sound and

WEBFOOTED.

ODDEST ROAD GOES TO SEA.

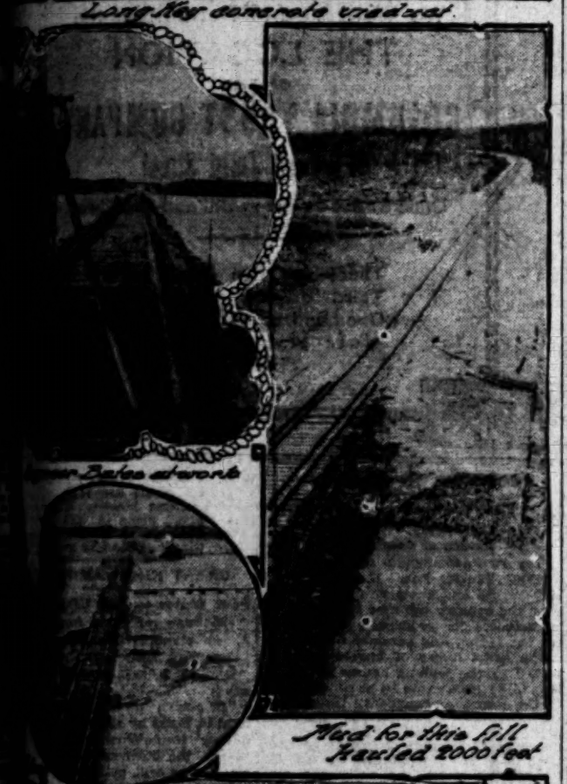
Engineer Here Tells of Work on Key West Line.

Monstrous Difficulties Are Met in the Task

Cost May Be Five Times the Original Estimate

Interesting details have been brought to this city by one of the men engaged in pushing the construction of the railroad reaching 156 miles out to sea, the road undertaken by Henry M. Flagler and his associates in the Florida, East Coast Railroad Company. The entire distance from Miami to Key West is being spanned by a railroad.

Long Key concrete viaduct.



Motor Boat aground

Hard for this bill Hauled 2000 feet

Train going to sea

Building a Railroad to Key West

The Florida mainland to the point aimed at the line is stretching one hundred and fifty-six miles, surmounting great obstacles and difficulties.

of mile and when the gigantic project is completed what will practically be a continental route will be operated between the shipping centers of the mainland and the island of Cuba. H. M. Bates, C. E., assistant resident engineer of the bridge and abutment construction department of the road, is now in Los Angeles on a visit, waiting for the resumption of work on the great oceanic railway.

Of the five great bridges which are being constructed in order to complete the temporary terminal on Key West, 156 miles from the mainland, under the supervision of Mr. Bates. Many of the important problems which have arisen in the course of the construction of one of the greatest feats of engineering, have been brought to him and he has been in close touch with all operations since he took charge of the bridge work at Tavenier.

Work is now going on but this winter a full force of men will be employed and the completion of the gigantic undertaking will, he says Mr. Bates. When finished it probably will be to Key West end, building back from Key and there forming a

ISLAND TO ISLAND.

Before the railroad to Key West was taken of the thirty odd keys that dot the surface of the Atlantic Miami to the objective terminus these islands, most of them of coral formation, are long strips of shallow water with an average depth thirty or more feet deep. Through many of these channels the water runs like a millrace during the hurricanes which sweep the southern coast it is impossible for bridges to go through them. Hence each bridge built was that over the channel or the waterway dividing Long Key and Key Largo, the first island of coral isles. The second bridge is over Tavenier Creek and the third bridges Snake Creek with Plantation Key. The fourth bridges Plantation and Windley Key, the fifth bridges Windley and Upper Matecumba, the sixth Indian Key Channel and the seventh Upper and Lower Matecumba.

The bridge over the Indian Key Channel is the longest of the five, extending over a distance of 1250 feet. A large crew of men was placed at work and the distance was covered in t and one- alf months.

The construction of the trestles through the long stretches of shallow water has been one of the gravest problems which it has fallen to the lot of the engineers to solve. As soon as a trestle is completed it is filled in with mud pumped up from the channels by suction dredges. This mud is sent through fifteen-inch pipe and in many cases has to be pumped as much as 12,000 feet.

HOW WORK IS DONE.

Where the bottom is hard, retaining walls are built along either side of the trestles to keep the coral mud in place. As soon as a wall is completed the mud is pumped in, then another wall nearer the bridge is built and again filled with mud and so on until a series of terraces, packed hard with coral mud, has been completed. It is upon these terraces that the engineers rely to protect the trestles from the action of the waves.

In shallow water, where the bottom is soft mud, "dipper" dredges are sent along either side of the proposed trestle route to dig trenches. The mud from these trenches is thrown up between the two dredges and along the top of the embankment the tracks are built.

Where the water is more than six or eight feet deep, substantial trestles are built, and as soon as completed, are filled in with crushed rock. Where the distance to be traversed is more than two miles and the action of heavy seas must be guarded against, four and even six-pile trestles are used. Where the waterways dividing the keys are more than twelve feet deep, concrete viaducts are built.

All of the openings as far out as Long Key are bridged by trestles and bridges. Two drawbridges have been provided to allow for the passage of vessels, one at Indian Key Channel and the other at Jewfish Creek. The other bridges are all spans. Between Long Key and Big Pine Key there are four viaducts.

LOKS FOR TROUBLE.

"The next viaduct to be built may cause serious trouble," said Mr. Bates yesterday. "It will span Bahia Honda Channel. The water in the channel is thirty feet deep and it runs through like a millrace. I believe that it will, in the end, be found necessary to tunnel it. The pressure at the twenty-foot depth in still water is awful. Add an extra ten feet of water, and open sea at that, and it means an almost impossible job. I do not see how abutments can be gotten in."

The original estimate placed the cost of the completed railroad from mainland to Key West at $50,000 per mile. It has already averaged $150,000, and, before the final stretch is completed, Mr. Bates believes it will run the average up to $250,000.

The distance between Big Pine Key and Key West will be traversed by means of a number of short span bridges and trestles. The construction of the concrete arches to support the bridges is a ponderous undertaking. In describing the process Mr. Bates said:

"We first drive anchor piles for the arches. Then catamarans convey a coffer dam over the anchor piles and drop it there. A concreting machine then sends down concrete through a fifteen-inch pipe, after the bottom has been cleared of mud by aid of a centrifugal pump. The bottom is filled with a layer of cement to a depth of four feet, after which the coffer dam is pumped out.

"Our men are then able to get inside to build the forms for the piers. The arches are then built on the piers, then the spandrell walls are put in place and filled with concrete.

"For putting in concrete abutments for the bridges we use steel coffer dams which are driven down into the rock by pile drivers. They are then treated in the same manner as the wooden ones.

FISHERMEN OBJECT.

"The work has not been carried on without strenuous objections, both on the part of the fishermen living on the little islands and upon the part of the elements. For decades the fishermen have been accustomed to sailing their crafts in between the keys at their own sweet will. They now have to go miles out of the way in order to find a drawbridge. The arrangement, of course, does not please them.

"The surveyors have made several interesting discoveries in their work, finding lakes of which even the inhabitants of the islands knew nothing. The building of the bridges is not the only work which has fallen to our lot, frequently we have found it necessary to raise embankments or make cuts across the keys. In general our work has been on the water, however, and we live afloat for months at a time.

"The hurricanes off the Florida coast are notorious and an ordinary wind is no small matter. I have known winds which threatened to blow our handcars off into the sea. Hurricanes have set our dredges and quarter boats adrift, lives have been lost and property has been destroyed, but the work has been kept up and the end is now in sight."

In the few years that he has been practicing his profession Mr. Bates has seen some exciting work. His first employment was with the Pennsylvania Railroad and he worked on the tunnel under East River, New York. It was there that he got his first training at submarine construction.

The fame of the Owens River aqueduct draw Mr. Bates here for the summer months, at least, in order that he might observe the work and possibly take some part in it. He has already applied for a civil service examination and unless official red tape ties it up unnecessarily long, he hopes to have an opportunity to assist in the undertaking.

Mr. Bates got his degree from Brown University in 1902. He captained Brown football team that year and wore the big "B" before that. He is a muscular young man who delights in meeting and overcoming such obstacles as he met in the course of his work on the Key West road.

The General Demand

of the Well-Informed of the World has always been for a simple, pleasant and efficient liquid laxative remedy of known value; a laxative which physicians could sanction for family use because its component parts are known to them to be wholesome and truly beneficial in effect, acceptable to the system and gentle, yet prompt, in action.

In supplying that demand with its excellent combination of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, the California Fig Syrup Co. proceeds along ethical lines and relies on the merits of the laxative for its remarkable success.

That is one of many reasons why Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna is given the preference by the Well-Informed. To get its beneficial effects always buy the genuine—manufactured by the California Fig Syrup Co., only, and for sale by all leading druggists. Price fifty cents per bottle.

FLASHES FROM WIRES.

P. P. Mast & Co., agricultural implement manufacturers of Spring field, O., were thrown into the hands of receivers yesterday. The receivers were directed to continue the business but to wind up as speedily as possible. The assets are given as approximately $1,000,000 and the indebtedness of $400,000 is declared to be increasing through the inability of the company to meet maturing obligations. The financial stringency is given as the reason for the receivership.

A band of terrorists yesterday afternoon attacked a post van near Janoff, government of Lublin, Russia, and killed the driver and five soldiers, wounding two soldiers, and carried off $2500.

GUILTY OF MANSLAUGHTER.

BAKERSFIELD, Feb. 12.—After a trial begun Monday, Charley Chico, an Indian who shot and killed Louie Pope, another Indian, at Kernville, December last, as a result of a night's drinking bout, was this afternoon found guilty of manslaughter. Chico was the only witness for the defense and his story practically convicted himself. He said he shot at Pope three times. He missed at first and Pope taunted him with being a poor shot.

"Why don't you shoot straight, you poor shot," he quoted the murdered man as saying. He then improved his aim and shot his companion through the breast. He said Pope was unarmed.

SMUGGLER SENTENCED.

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—James H. Lehnemann of Brookline, alleged to have been the head of the band which carried on extensive operations in smuggling Chinese into New England, was sentenced here today to four months in jail. Lehnemann had been convicted on conspiracy against the government in aiding the illicit importation of aliens. He was arrested in connection with the seizure at Providence of the schooner yacht Frolic, which was loaded with Chinese at a Newfoundland port and came into Providence under cover of darkness.

DROPS DEAD ON PLATFORM.

OAKLAND, Feb. 12.—Frank Nathan Whipple, a veteran instructor at the Institute of the Deaf, Dumb and Blind, of Berkeley, dropped dead on the platform of the Christian Science Church here tonight while reading from Mrs. Eddy's "Science and Health." For a moment there was consternation in the crowded auditorium, as the body of Whipple pitched forward into the arms of two of the men on the platform. Then the Rev. Elmer McBurney stepped forward, quieted the throng and led them in silent prayer. The meeting then proceeded. Whipple was teacher of lip language at the blind institute.

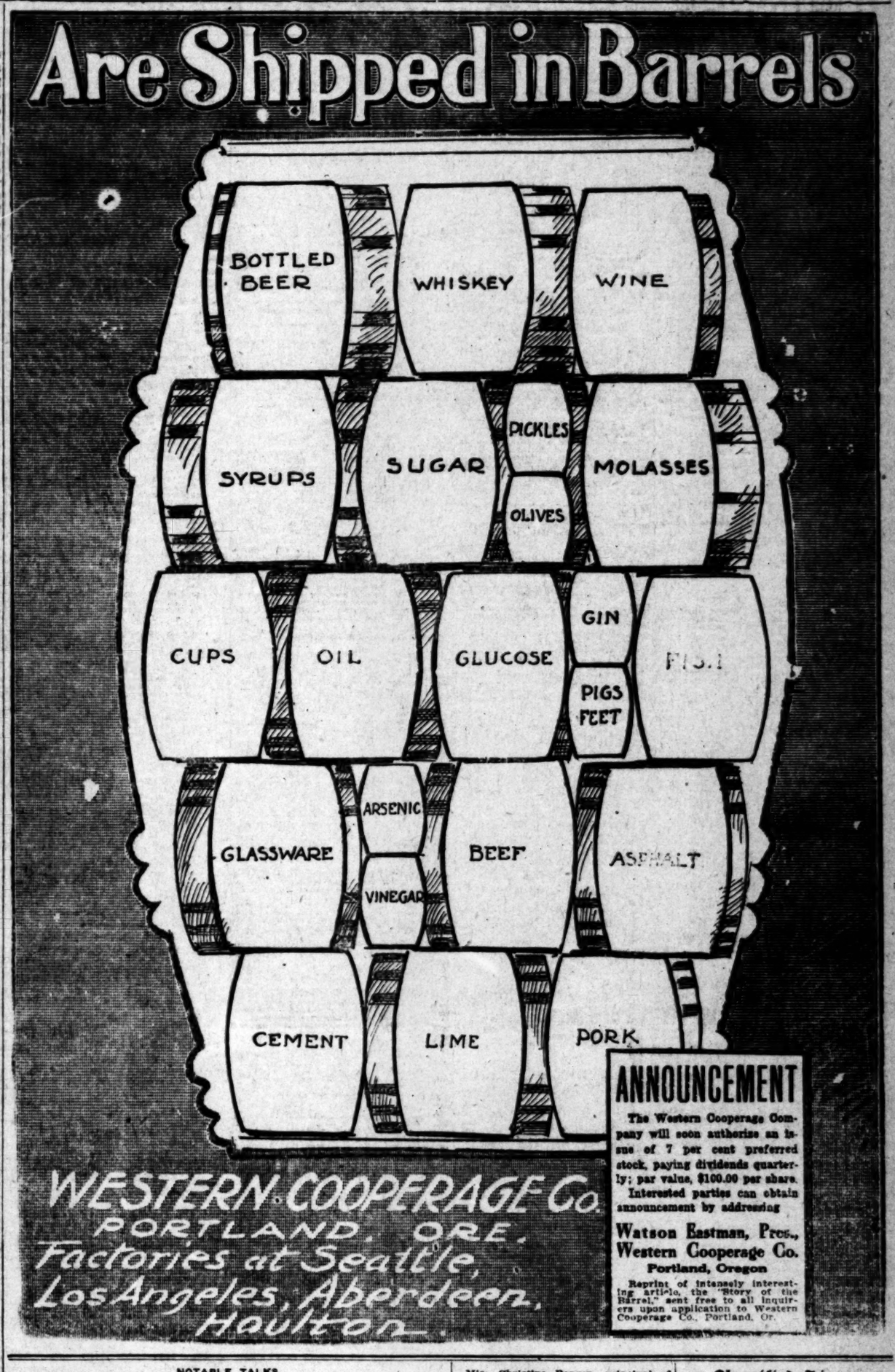
BANK ROBBERS GET THOUSANDS.

RICH HILL (Mo.) Feb. 12.—Securing $22,000 in cash after dynamiting and totally wrecking the $9000 building of the Farmers' and Merchants' Bank in this city, five bandits, heavily armed, terrorized the citizens here at an early hour this morning, after exchanging shots with the Sheriff's posse, and escaped to the rough country south of here. No one was injured by either the shots or explosion.

REBATE INQUIRY POSTPONED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Feb. 12.—The hearing of the charges of rebating against the Southern Pacific was postponed by the railroad commission today until March 5, because of the absence of the general freight agent of the road.

Are Shipped in Barrels



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NOTABLE TALKS.

CALIFORNIA MOTHERS HEAR HOME TRUTHS.

Speeches of practical value and a remarkable presentation to a remarkable woman marked the reciprocity meeting held yesterday by the California Congress of Mothers, at Blanchard Hall. Mothers from many circles in Los Angeles and the surrounding towns, ministers, educators, club women and social workers gathered in large number to confer for the good of the children and to report progress.

Mrs. W. W. Murphy, the lovely, white-haired woman who was at the head of the congress for seven years, and who has done so much to win for California the honor of being the banner State in the Union for mothers' circles, was accorded a gracious tribute.

A handsome silver loving cup inscribed with the name of the congress was presented to her, together with a snowball letter made up of missives from over one hundred mothers' circles.

Mrs. H. W. Crevelin, in presenting the latter, recounted the main facts in Mrs. Murphys' life to show how much of it had been devoted to the cause of childhood. "This being the time of year when snowballing is at its height in the East," she said, "the thought ocurred to us to start a snowball of love letters in your honor and it has rolled from circle to circle gathering the white flakes."

WORK IS APPRECIATED.

The morning session was opened with music by Miss Martha Schramm. Rev. E. P. Ryland offered the invocation, and a graceful speech of welcome was made by Mrs. Chalmers Smith, president of the congress, who introduced Mrs. Catherine Pierce Wheat, as chairman of the Reciprocity Committee, and the latter presided during the session.

The Board of Education a cordial appreciation of the work of the Mothers' Congress was expressed by Joseph E. Scott, president of the former body, who said: "If at any time the board can assist you in your deliberations we want you to appeal to us. We shall at all times be your humble servants."

Mark Keppel, County Superintendent of Schools, touched the heart of the whole work when he said: "I hope you will go on until the penitentiaries, reform schools, detention homes and probation officers are needed no more, until the curse of child labor is lifted from the land, and until the right of every child to a square deal shall be realized in its fullest, highest and best meaning."

Mrs. Florence Collins Porter presented greetings from Los Angeles district of C.F.W.C., and Mrs. Josiah Evans Cowles, from the General Federation of Women's Clubs, while Mrs. Catherine Pierce Wheat spoke a few words in behalf of the W.C.T.U., and Rev. E. P. Ryland made a short talk as representative of the Church Federation.

A delightful part of the programme was the vocal music furnished by several local artists, Miss Ethel Coleman, Miss Ruth Eddings, Miss Madge Stevens, W. Fred Dorn and James A. Foshay.

A memorial service for the late Mrs. Theodore Birney, founder of the Mothers' Congress, who lately passed away, was conducted by Mrs. W. W. Murphy.

REAL TEST OF PARENTHOOD.

The afternoon was devoted to a symposium on "Some Things That Parents and Teachers Should Know." Prof. A. L. Hamilton, superintendent of schools in Pasadena, made a sound, sane talk on school problems, from the standpoint of his office.

The talk by Mrs. Andrew Stewart Lobinger, from the standpoint of a mother, touched the most vital chord of the day. Eager attention was paid as she advised how to meet crucial situations in the young lives growing under their charge. "A real test of parenthood," she declared, "is the way the age of adolescence is met and managed." A mother's duty, she argued, was not merely to guide a child during the early years; that was simply fulfilling the duty of a nurse girl. "She must be intellectually ready for the time of change, when the child will break away into untrodden paths; she should be ready to follow." Her urgent advice to parents was to use methods for the control, which will not be outgrown when the age of childhood is passed.

"Mothers," she said, "when the child asks a question, answer it, and as you value the salvation of his soul never tell him a lie." She made a forceful plea for special teachers in the schools, biological experts to explain the great underlying facts of physiological life.

Miss Christine Benson, principal of the Eagle Rock school, brought some important facts to the notice of the mothers in a keen, practical talk, while Mrs. Bradley of Bethlehem Institutional Church pictured the almost hopeless struggle of the "submerged mothers."

Among the delegates from other organizations were Mrs. I. L. Hibbard, president of the Ruskin Art Club; Mrs. William Baurhyte of the Ebell Club and Miss Lucy Broad, a well-known English lecturer.

SAILOR SHOOTS MOTHER.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—David Kolich, aged 27, who had just returned home after an extended service in the United States navy, today shot and probably fatally wounded his mother, Mrs. Olive Kolish. Kolish surrendered to the police. He claims the shooting was accidental, which statement his mother confirmed.

JUDGE GRAY INDORSED.

SCRANTON (Pa.) Feb. 12.—The Democratic County Committee unanimously passed a resolution tonight favoring the nomination of Judge George Gray for President before the Democratic National convention.

YOUTH COMMITS SUICIDE.

VALLEJO, Feb. 12. — Despondent, friends believe, on account of an unfortunate love affair, David Roach, a well-known young man of this city, 25 years of age, committed suicide early this morning by drinking three ounces of carbolic acid.

PERUVIAN ESCORT FOR FLEET.

LIMA (Peru) Feb. 12.—The Peruvian cruiser Bolognesi will leave Callao next Saturday bound south. She will meet the American battleships under Rear-Admiral Evans on the high seas, will fire a salute of welcome and escort them to Callao.

KENTUCKY STILL BALLOTING.

FRANKFORT (Ky.) Feb. 12.—The ballot for United States Senator taken today in joint session of the Legislature was without result.

JAMES D. LAING DEAD.

NEW YORK, Feb. 12.—James D. Laing, vice-president of the Cleveland, Cincinnati, Chicago & St. Louis railroad, died at 1:30 o'clock this morning at his home in this city, aged 75.

Talking Senators Only Talk.

In the days when Senatorial Washington told stories, Vest of Missouri was the king of the Senate cloakroom, and Don Cameron was his lay figure. They rig jokes on new men in the cloakrooms, and the last thing they do is to construct serious laws there. The Senators who spend most of their time scenting their own cloaks and those of their fellows with tobacco smoke are often consulted on especially serious matters; they constitute the "army" of the flag, and follow their leaders. When a real bill is to be prepared, says Harper's Weekly, it will not be thrashed out amid the chaff of the cloakroom, but in some committee-room. "When George F. Edmunds and Thurman wanted to draft a bill or an amendment, Edmunds used to rise in his place and blow his nose. Then he'd walk out of the chamber. Soon afterward Thurman would walk out at another door. They'd meet down in the Judiciary Committee-room, and there the business would be done. The Senators or visitors who talk about legislation in the cloakroom talk so much about it that they never find time to put down any thoughts, if they really have any, on paper."

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BUSINESS. Barometer of the Markets—Commercial.

FINANCIAL.

OFFICE OF THE TIMES.
Los Angeles, Feb. 15, 1900.

BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,770,091.06. For the corresponding day of 1899, $2,156,190.91; for the same day of 1898, $2,197,477.97.

Monday	$1,458,984.32
Tuesday	1,432,152.02
Wednesday	1,177,491.06
Total	$4,909,807.31
Same time, 1899	7,636,524.78
same time, 1898	6,068,415.91

Following are the live quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, I. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	$ 55.00	$ 72.00
Associated Oil	29.87½	29.87½
Brookshire Oil	....	2.50
Central	....	.85
Columbia	.87½	.90½
Continental	.25¾	.30
Elk Consolidated Oil Co.	.15	.17
Fullerton Oil	....	.22½
Globe	.14	.15
New Pa. Petroleum Co.	....	1.25
Final Oil Co.	....	19.50
Offield & Oil Co.	.12¾	.13
Pitt Oil & Land Co.	.06	.07
Reed Crude	.12½	.16
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	1.02½	1.10
Union	216.50	222.50
Union Provident Co.	200.50	220.00
United Petroleum	370.00	425.00
Western Union	97.00	145.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	....	$130.00
Bank of Los Angeles	....	120.00
Bank of So. California	....	130.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	$125.00	....
California Savings Bank (Capital, $125,000 paid up.)	....	120.00
Central National Bank	142.00	194.50
Citizens' National	....	245.00
Commercial National	....	154.00
Equitable Savings Bank	201.00	....
Farmers & Mer. Nat'l	295.00	315.00
Federal Bank of L. A.	....	16.00
First National of L. A.	250.00	490.00
German-American Savings	....	315.00
Globe Savings Bank ($100,000 paid up.)	101.00	115.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	....	125.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	60.00
National Bank of California	....	200.00
Security Savings Bank	....	200.00
The Southern Trust Co. ($1,000,000 paid up.)	67.00	73.00

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	78	81½
Corona City Water Co.	....	84
Corona Power & W. Co.	....	93
Edison El. Co., 1st R.	87	88
" Elec. Co., old issue	97	105
Home Telephone Co.	89	92
Home Tel. Co., 1st Refg.	....	80
L. A. Stove Co.	....	92
L. A. Railway Co.	103	107
Mission Trans. & R. Co.	83	100
Pacific Light & Power Co.	....	109
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	99
Pomona H. T. & T. Co.	....	97½
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	84
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	99
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	....	99
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	99
Tenescal Water Co.	100	85
Union Transportation Co.	87	90
U. S. L. D. T. & T. Co.	....	99
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	....	85½

*Prices include accrued interest.

INDUSTRIALS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	....	$ 75.00
California Hospital	....	95.00
Edison Electric pfd.	....	78.50
Edison Electric com.	....	67.00
Home Telephone pfd.	49.75	50.00
Home Tel. Co.	9.00	14.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	....	110.00
L. A. Investment Co.	2.00	....
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	....	150.00
Pasadena H. T. Elec. Co.	....	28.50
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	50.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	28.00
Seaside Water Co. pfd.	....	95.00
Title L. & Trust Co. pfd.	190.50	200.00
Title L. & Trust Co. pfd.	132.00	139.50
Title L. & Trust Co. com.	132.00	180.00
Title L. & Trust. Ser. C.	132.00	140.00
U. S. L. D. T. & T. pfd.	....	46.00
Union Trust Co.	....	45.50
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	....	50.00

OFFICIAL SALES: Associated Oil at 30.00 @73.50; 10 do. at 73.50, B. 30; 10 do. at 71.00, B. 60; 5 Union Oil at 221.00.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

	Bid.	Asked.
Clark Copper Co.	.09¾	.10
Furnace Creek Cop.	.37½	.38
Furnace Valley Copper	.01	.05
Kemplard Copper	....	.10
Last Furnace Creek	....	.04½
California Hills M.	.00¾	.01¼
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01¼	.01½

Nevada—Goldfield District—

42 Mining Mines	4.80	4.85
Goldfield-Wild Horse	.01	.05
Gold Storm King G. M. Co.	....	.02¾

Bonnie District—Nye county—

Jolamic Iron Cl. M. Co.	.11¾	.12

Searchlight District—

Cyrus Noble	.02½	.03
Eldorado Can. M. & M. Co.	.00¾	.00¾
New Era	....	.01½
Searchlight	.00¾	.01¾
Quartette	....	12.50
Searchlight M. & M. Co.	....	.75
Searchlight Parallel	.02¼	.03¾
Searchlight Western	.02½	.03¾

OFFICIAL SALES: 1000 Clark Copper at 1½; 1000 Consolidated Mines at 1½; 11,000 Searchlight Western at 2¼@3c.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

Asparagus at 62 cents a pound attracted market attention yesterday. It came all the way from Watsonville, and was the first of the first large shipment received. Several kinds of fancy beans came in, and they are bringing as high as 14 cents a pound. Apples, one of the most reliable items in the market, are very plentiful and a lover of this delectable edible fungus may obtain it at the lowest prices of the season, both cultivated and wild.

There were no changes in the prices of eggs, but they remained firm. Receipts were the largest in months, 291 cases on the floor. Indications are for approximately 25% on the morrow. Offerings along all lines were good, and in cases were sold at the present quotations. The storage block eggs have been cleaned up almost entirely, and this accounts for the present firmness, since it has made dealers depend almost entirely upon the fresh product.

Firmness predominates in all lines of the butter trade. Receipts remain low, being only 10,488 pounds yesterday. Creamery remains up to 27½ per two-pound roll, while eastern extras have raised up and now sell at 24 cents. Ladies were offered at 20 cents.

Receipts of cheese were 618 pounds, but offerings were heavy. Northern fresh and storage are particularly large, called for 1,000 cases of full cream brick were sold. Daisy and the other usual offerings were made without eliciting any further sales.

Potato arrivals were 2062 sacks and the ruling quotations are exceedingly strong, with an outlook for advance in the very near future. The reason for this lies in the fact that at least a third of the stock which is arriving is for seed and not for consumption. A car of choice Highland were sold below 1.60. Other offerings were of northern and Early Rose.

Arrivals of onions were heavier than for weeks past, amounting to 680 sacks. A part of these came from Minnesota and 50 sacks were sold below the current prices. Oregon globes were heavily offered, but marginal differences were too large to allow of sales.

There were no bean receipts, but considerable activity prevailed in that commodity. Fifty sacks of small whites were traded. Pinks, Lady Washington and black eyes were offered. General prices are firm.

Just 100 sacks of sweet potatoes were reported in. There were several good disposals and the prices were not exceptionally firm. The vegetable market was firm and there was not an exceptionally large amount of business transacted despite the large amount of produce on hand. Celery and cauliflower are moving slowly, not only here but in the East. The California Vegetable Union reports that only four cars of celery a day are moving, where last year there were from 25 to 32 being shipped East. The demand for this vegetable for some unexplainable reason has been lighter than ever before. Cabbage is not having as good a year as was expected.

A few grapes of the Malaga and Red Emperor varieties were selling slowly at 12 and 15 cents a pound. The demand for dried fruit has been excellent and new evaporated prunes went up half a cent, while apricots were advanced 2 cents a round. Twenty-five boxes of white figs were sold on change and the price on them is strong at 1.60. Raisins are in good demand.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Fresh California ranch, selected, 24@26; fresh ranch, local, case count, 24; eastern, fresh, candled, 20@22; storage, selected, 19@20.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 27½; creamery, firsts, 25@26; dairy butter, 25; cooking, 20; eastern, extra, 26@27½.

OLEO—Extra fancy, 18@20; choice, 16@18; standard, 14@16; butterine, 14@24½ in tubs, in boxes 1-lb. rolls, 1c for 2-lb. rolls.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 20; Cal. Y. A., 21; storage cheese, 13@15½; fresh, 12½@13; eastern daisies, 13½@13½; Longhorns, 13@13½; 3c. Twins, 13@13½; singles, 14@14½; hand, 20; Domestic, 25; Imp., 32; Limburger, 20; cheddars, 14@16; brick creams, 20; Pom. tub, 17½; Dom. 13.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 2.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 2.75; small white, No. 1, 3.75@3.85; Lima, No. 1, 5.50@5.75; American lentils, 10@12 per lb.; black eye, 5.00@5.25.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, new stock, 12; blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 18; citron, fancy, 10-lb. boxes, 25. Currants, imp., fancy, pulu, reclaned, 11; fancy, 50 1-lb packages, 11½; fancy, 50 ¼-lb. packages, 10. Dates, imported, Fards, fancy, 6c, 8; Fards, fancy, 12c, 9; Golden, fancy, 6c, 5½; Golden fancy, 20 1-lb. packages, 6. Figs, new, per box, 50 lbs, 1.00; White, Mondal, cartons, 10 lb. 20; White, "Premier," 10 lb. 1.00; White, "Medal," bricks, 10 lb. 85; White, "Medz," boxes, 50 6-oz., 1.00; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, ——; White, imported, 40s, 16; White, imported, 12s, 16; Black, loose, 25s, 7; Black, loose, sacks, ——; Nectarines, per lb., fancy, 25c. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, 12½; choice, 20s, 11½; choice, sacks, 11; fancy, peeled, 25s, 20. Pears, fancy, 25s, 12. Peels, lemon or orange, 10s, 10. Plums, fancy pitted, 25s, 7½. Prunes, 30-40, 50-lb. boxes, per lb. 20-40, 25s, 5½; 40-50, 25s, 5½; 50-60, 25s, 4½; 60-70, 25s, 7½; 70-80, 25s, 6½; 80-90, 25s, 6; 90-100, 25s, 5½. When packed in 50-lb. boxes, 4c less; in 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Prunes, Silver, fancy, 25s, 11; apricots, 17@20.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 2-crown, 1.50; 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 1.75; clusters, 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 3.75; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.00; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.50; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 3.00; clusters, 6-crown, 12 2¼-lb. cartons, 4.50; clusters, 6-crown, 24 1-lb. cartons, 6.50. Loose Muscatels, per lb., 2-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 5½; 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 6¼; 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 7½. Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, unbleached, 6½; bleached, 10½; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50s, 12; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50 1-lb. 14. Seeded, fancy, "Eagle," 36 1-lb., 11; fancy, "Catalina," 50 1-lb., 11; fancy, "Angelus," 6 ¾-lb., 9½.

NUTS—New, almonds, 13; soft shell almonds, fancy paper-shell, 19; almonds, choice softshell, 18; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 16; Brazils, large, new crop, 15; chestnuts, Italian, 9; filberts, large, new crop, 12; pecans, Jumbo, 20; peanuts, eastern, "bon" raw, 5½@6; peanuts, eastern, "sun," roasted, 7½; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," raw, 9; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 11; peanuts, Jumbo, fancy, raw, 8½@9; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 10; pinenuts, 15; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 17; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 14; walnuts, No. 1, black, 8; hickory nuts, 12@15; chestnuts, 14@16; popcorn, 4½ per lb.

HONEY—Comb honey, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 13; water white, 16; extracted, light amber, 6½@7; water white, 8; white, 7.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, firsts, 1.75@2.00; seconds, 1.25@1.50; culls, 75@1.00; lemons, fancy, picked, 2.00@2.50; culls, lemons, 1.75@2.00; unpacked stock, 1.00@1.75; grapefruit, seedless, 2.00@3.00; seedling grapefruit, 1.75@2.00; Tangerines, 1.00@1.50.

FRESH FRUITS — Bellefleur apples, 2.00; Baldwin apples, 1.50@1.75; Spitzenbergs, 2.75@3.00; Colorado Jonathans, 3.25; Ganos, 2.50@3.00; Greenings, 1.75@2.00; Pearmains, 1.75@2.00; Ben Davis, 1.50@2.00; Baltimore Reds, 1.50; Newtown pippins, 1.60@2.00; Arkansas Blacks, 2.50@3.00; grapes, per box, Red Emperor, 2.00; Cornichon, 2.00; Malagas, 2.00; Winter Nellis, 2.00; persimmons, per crate, 2.50@2.75 per crate; pineapples, 50@60 per lb.; loquats, 2.75@3.00 a crate; avacados, 2.00@4.00 doz.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 50@; raspberries, 50@; cranberries, Wisconsin, 12.50@13.00.

ONIONS—Minnesota Red onions, 2.25@3.50 per cwt.; Australian Brown onions, 3.50 per sack; northern Australian Brown, 3.00@3.25; onions, 2.00@2.25; Oregon, 3.50; Colorado onions, 2.50@3.00; Yellow Globes, 2.85@3.00; Ohio Globes, 2.75@3.00.

POTATOES—Local Burbank potatoes, 1.15@1.25 per 100 lbs.; northern sweets, 2.00@3.50; sweet potatoes, 2.25@3.50 per cwt.; Hi-land Burbanks, 1.10@1.25; Salinas, 1.75@2.00; Colorado Rose, 1.50 per 100 lbs.; Early Rose, 1.85@2.00; White Rose, 1.75@2.00; Idaho, 2.25; Lompocs, 1.75.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 40@45; carrots, 40; parsley, 20@25 per doz.; spearmint, 40 per doz.; garlic, 10@12½ per lb.; eggplant, 10@12½ per lb.; bell peppers, 12½@14 per lb.; Lima beans, 10@12 per lb.; celery root, 65 per doz.; rhubarb, 50@65 per box; Hubbard squash, 1½@1¾ per lb.; cabbages, 75@1.00 per doz.; cauliflower, 40@60 per doz.; horseradish, 12½ per lb.; dill, 25 per lb.; chives, 1.25 per doz.; asparagus, 65 per lb.

POULTRY—Dearest sen, live weight: Old roosters, 4@5; young roosters, 7 dozen to the crate, 16@17; stags, 8; hens, 13@14 per lb.; ducks, 14@15; geese, 15; turkeys, 15½@17; squab pigeons, 1.75@2.00 per doz.; fryers, 2¼ lbs. to 2½ lbs., 18@19; broilers, 1 to 2 lbs., 19@20; wild ducks, 3.00@7.00 per doz.

BEEF — Steers, No. 1, per lb., 8½; second, 6½; third, 5½@6; prime, 8; heifers, 7½; hind quarters, 9½; fore quarters, 7½; loins of beef, No. 1, 12; ribs of beef, No. 1, 11; chucks, 6@6½; plates, 4; round and rump, 8½; beef tenderloins, 22; square beef ciods, 8½; shoulder clods, 8½; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7½; flunk steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef trimming, 7; beef tongues, 10; S. P. beef tongues, 14; corned hams, 9; lumber tongues, per lb. box, 20; beef hearts, each, 20; beef tails, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 6; kidneys, each, 2; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10; hides, 5½.

MUTTON—Dressed mutton, ewes, per lb. 10½; dressed mutton, wether, 11; dressed mutton, yearlings, 11½; milk lambs, 13; sheep, 1.00@4.00.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 9½; dressed hogs, head off, 10; trimmed hogs, 11½; pork loins, 12½; fresh nicpics, 8½; pork shoulders, 9½; pork butts, 11½; fresh hams, 12; bellies, fresh, 13; pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 8; fresh pork spare ribs, 11; pork tenderloins, 25; back fat, 10; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 3½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh,) 2½; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., 4½; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 5; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb., 4½.

BACON—Winchester 10-lb. bacon, 17; Winchester 6-8-lb. bacon, 17½; 12 Avg., 17; Thirties, 18¾; 40's, 16@17; Premium, 22; Atlas bacon, 16; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C bacon, 20½; Helmet bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 Avg., 13½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 17½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 8-10 avg., 16½; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 15½; Regal bacon, 16; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17½; Helmet, 8-8 avg., 18½; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 15½; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 22; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 17½; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 17½; Armour's White Label bacon, 8-10 avg., 15½; Special bacon, 16½; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 16.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 12; dry salt clear bellies, 16-20 avg., 12½; dry salt clear backs, 11½; short clear backs, 12; D. S. bellies, 16-18 avg., 13.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 3.50; honey-comb tripe, kegs, 1.85; honeycomb tripe, kits, 1.25; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 3.50; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.50; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.25; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.00.

HAMS — Per lb., Rex, 12½; Rex skinned hams, 13½; Diamond C, 14½; Diamond C skinned hams, 15; boiled buttless Rex hams, 15½; mild-cured Rex hams, 13½; Rex hams, 12; Winchester, small, 10 to 12 avg., 14½; Winchester hams, avg., 14; Premium, 10-12 avg., 17½; Winchester picnics, 10½; Winchester skinned hams, 10½; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 10; Premium skinned hams, 15½; Orange Blossom, 12; Ashland hams, 14; minced ham, 13; Cylinder boiled hams, 23; Premium boiled hams, 22; mixed boiled hams, 12½; Star hams, 10-12 avg., 15; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 14½; Star hams, 12-14 avg., 15½; Helmet hams, 16½; Star skinned hams, 16½; Armour's Shield hams, 16½; boiled boneless and tied hams, 24; Regal hams, 15; Atlas hams, 13; Armour's Shield hams, 10 to 14 lbs. avg., 12½; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 14 25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 23.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 26.00; half-bbls., 14.75; fancy pig pork, (wide,) bbls., 30.00; half-bbls., 16.25; S. P. spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.25.

PURE LARD—Tierces, per lb., 12; cases, 7 50-lb. cases, 10½; leaf lard, 11; Rex pure lard, 11½; Premium lard, 12½; Silver Leaf lard, 11½; Jewel Compound, 9; Compound lard, western, 11; back fat, 9½; Yellow "cotosuet, 9½; White Cotosuet, 9½; Mission lard, 10½; Shield lard, 11½; Armour's Simon Pure lard, Compound lard, western, 8½; Compound lard, eastern, 8½; Diamond C kettle lard, 12½; White Ribbon, 9@9½; basis Detroit, 9@9½; vegetable lard, 10½; S. C. lard, 15½; Armour's Shield lard, 11½; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 13; Armour's Vegetole, 10½.

SAUSAGE—Bologna, per lb., 8; bologna, parafined, per lb., 8½; blood sausage, 9; liver sausage, 7½; Diamond "C" sausage, links and bulk, 12; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 10; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 9; Spanish pork sausage, 10; Wiener sausage, 9; Frankfurt sausage, 9; New England ham sausage, 12; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Dougan's style sausage, in sacks, 12; German Salami, 2½; Milan Salami, 25; Mortadella, 20; Gothear, 26; Star Summer, 25@27; Arles, 24.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers, Table salt, coarse, per sack, 2.00; Princess salt, cartons, 20 5s, per case, 1.75; 50-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized pockets, per bale, 2.00; Nottingham Daily, 5s, per ton, 15.50; 10os, per ton, 14.50; 22½s, per ton, 12.50. Crown or Gran. Dairy, 50s, 15.00; 10os, 14.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 10os, 12.00; granulated and ½-ground, 50s, 15.00; granulated and ½-ground, large, per ton, 12.50; ice-cream and evaporated, sweet, 50s, per ton, 14.00; 10os, per ton, 13.00; nide and ice-cream, No. 1, per ton, 12.50; Liverpool, imported, per ton, 21.25. Special prices in car lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls., add 10c; ½-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices net cash; less 2% allowed if 10 days. Best gran. 5.45; western cane and fruit gran., 5.35; C. & H. cane and berry gran., 5.35. Cube, A, crushed or fine crushed, 5.90; Candy granulated, 5.25; powdered, 5.60; XXXX confectioners' A, 5.55; western Con. A, 5.15; Golden C, 4.85; D, 5.45; Rowena 6x powdered, 10-lb. boxes, 6.90; Rowena 6x powdered, 5-lb. boxes, 6.95; Rowena 6x powdered, 2-lb. boxes, 7.05; Rowena 6x powdered, bbls., 6.30; Magnolia A, 5.30; extra B, 5.05; extra C, 5.35; Dominos, 10.65. Bar sugar, 5.40; Cal. Club, Longs or Shasta, 25-lb. tins, 5.50; 50-lb. boxes, 5.40.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.80; Globe flour, 6.25; Select California white wheat, Silver Star flour, 5.00; XXX flour, 4.80; Capitol flour, 4.80; A1 bakers' flour, 5.50; Aurora, 5.40; Mikado, 5.00; Trophy, 4.80; Crown flour, 4.55.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 6.25; Mayflower, 4.80; Eclipse, 5.40.

FLOUR—	In 5-lb. bags.	In 10-lb. bags.	In 25-lb. bags.	In 50-lb. bags.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	$2.10	....	....	....
Buckwheat flour	$3.70	3.60	$1.45	$1.40
Graham flour	....	....	2.00	2.95
Gluten flour	....	....	2.90	2.85
Cornmeal, W. & Y.	....	....	2.80	2.75
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.55	4.35	4.30
Oatmeal, Steel Cut.	....	5.50	5.00	4.95
Hominy, large or small	....	4.20	4.00	3.95
Cracked wheat	....	3.80	3.60	3.55
Entire wheat flour	....	....	2.10	2.05
Pearl barley	....	....	3.50	5.45
Split peas, green	....	5.85	5.65	5.50
Split peas, yellow	....	5.70	5.50	5.45
Gluten flour	....	4.15	3.95	3.90
Farina	....	3.40	3.20	3.15
Nutting Gem	$3.50	4.00	3.80	3.75
Rolled wheat, in barrels, net weight 125 lbs. per sack	....	....	....	4.25
Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks.) 100 lbs.	....	....	....	3.80
Buckwheat flour (pure, seamless sacks.) 100 lbs.	....	....	....	3.75

GRAIN AND FEED—Wheat, per 100 lbs., 1.85; wheat, No. 1, 1.90; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.80; corn, Mex. No. 1, 1.70; cracked corn, 1.85; feed meal, 1.70@1.80; bran, heavy, 1.15; barley, 1.65; oilcake meal, 2.50; cotton seed meal, 1.25; cocoanut cake, 1.35; shorts, 1.45; oats, white Oregon, 1.90; oats, red seed, California, 1.25; Australian Kaffir corn, 1.35@1.45; K. & P. corn, 1.85; cocoanut meal, 1.50.

Excelsior Chick Food	10-lb. sacks.	25-lb. sacks.	50-lb. sacks.	100-lb. sacks.
" Fattening Food	$2.25	$2.20	$2.25	$3.00
" Egg Food	1.75	....	1.75	3.50
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.85
" Chick Food, 20 6-lb. pkgs.	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 3; new ear corn, 2.75@4.00 per 100 lbs.

LINSEED OIL — Boiled, in barrels, 61; in cases, 65; higher on each kind; raw, in barrels, 59.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 77½.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@18.00; No. 2, 12.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 16.00; No. 2, 14.00@15.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 16.00@18.00; No. 2, 13.00@15.00; northern alfalfa, 15.00@17.00; local, 12.00@17.00.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars Los Angeles.

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 18c per gallon; do. cases, 25c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 9½c per gallon; No. 2 engine distillate, bulk, 8½c per gallon.

FUEL OIL—80@1.05 per barrel.

ILLUMINATING OILS — Water white, per gallon, tank wagons, 9½c; in barrels, 10c; Pearl, in cases, 17½c per gallon; Astral, cases, 17½c; Eocene, cases, 20½c per gallon; Elaine, cases, 28½c; Star, 17½c per gallon; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 10c; cases, 19c.

NO SCRIP BY MONTH'S END.

A member of the Los Angeles Clearinghouse Association stated yesterday that a resolution has been passed which will be formed into a law to force the retirement of the scrip by February 25, if the banks do not have all their scrip canceled out by that time they will have to pay a tax of 3 per cent. on all they owe. This will mean that by March there will be no scrip in circulation.

The First National Bank has established an information bureau in its banking room at Second and Spring streets. It will be in charge of J. M. Campbell, who has been connected with the bank for years, and is the oldest employee on its pay roll. Inquiries of all sorts will be answered, and aid will be given the Chamber of Commerce in circulating literature pertaining to Los Angeles and Southern California. This is the first bureau of its kind established by a local bank.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORTS OF EASTERN MARKETS

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BOSTON, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market unchanged. Weather favorable. Thirteen cars sold. Twenty-three on track.

NAVELS.

Quail, O. K. P. Ex., Redlands....$2.05
Royal Knight, R. H. F. Ex., Redlands....2.45
Overland, S. B. F. Ex., Redlands Jct....2.30
Laurel, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona....2.40
Orchard, National O. Co....2.05
Crafton, Redlands O. G. A....2.50
Golden Flower, Redlands O. G. A....2.40
Signal, Stewart F. Co....2.25
Golden Buckle, R. H. F. Ex., E. High....2.40
Lochinvar, R. H. F. Ex., E. High....2.35
Pine Cone, S. B. F. Ex., Highland....2.45
Princess, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona....1.95
Producer, Redlands O. G. A. Co....2.30
Bronco, West American F. Co....2.45
Trophy, Cal. Citrus Union....2.35
Geranium, Cal. Citrus Union....2.15

RUBY BLOODS.

Laurel, ½ boxes....$1.95

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market is strong. Weather favorable.

NAVELS.

Palm Tree, A. H. F. Ex., Arlington Hts..$2.15
Planet, S. S. F. Ex., Orange....2.20
Hibiscus, Sweetwater F. C., Bon....2.60
Oakleaf, T. C. F. Ex., Porterville....2.10
Butterfly, Cov. F. Ex., Covina....2.20
Circus, ? ? 2.30
Tiger Head, I. L. Lyons Sons....2.25
Ropyrus, ? ? 2.05
Bon Ton, A. H. F. Ex., Ar. Hts....1.95
Bonita, Sweetwater F. Co., Bon....2.20
Stock Label, Sweetwater F. Co., Bon....1.75
Tulip, T. C. F. Ex., Porterville....2.00
Butterfly, Cl. Covina F. Ex., Covina....2.20
Butterfly, tl. Covina F. Ex., Covina....2.20
Mother Colony, Randolph F. Co....2.15
Big Find, ? ? 2.20

LEMONS.

Circus, ? ? $2.25
Bunker Hill, Cal. Citrus Union....2.00
No Label, Cal. Citrus Union....1.95
Mahne, Sharp F. Co....2.10
Circus, Sparr F. Co....2.15
Gold Hill, T. C. F. Ex., Lindsay....1.95

TANGERINES.

Tulip, boxes, T. C. F. Ex., Porterville...$2.00

Cleveland Market.

CLEVELAND, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is raining. Market is very strong. Six cars sold. Ten cars on track.

NAVELS.

Bonita, Sweetwater Ft. Co....$1.95
Stock Label, Sweetwater Ft. Co....1.95
Iris, D. M. Ft. Ex., Monrovia....2.40
Jasmine, D. M. Ft. Ex., Monrovia....2.05
Coral, S. B. Ft. Ex., Yerkes....2.60
Tallyho, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....2.25
Hibiscus, Sweetwater F. Co....1.95
Valley, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porter....1.95
Violet, D. M. Ft. Ex., Mcnrovia....2.25
Cosmos, S. B. Ft. Ex., Yerkes....2.25
Puritan, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....2.25
Big R, ch, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....2.20

SEEDLINGS.

Pepita, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....$1.65

TANGERINES.

Tallyho, bxs, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....$2.95

GRAPEFRUIT—SEEDLINGS.

Puritan, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....$2.70
Tallyho, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....2.35
Big R, ch, S. B. Ft. Ex., Rialto....1.30

LEMONS.

Trail, S. T. Ft. Ex., La Manda....$2.05
Cannon, S. T. Ft. Ex., La Manda....2.35

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather warm. Market firm on good stock. Eight cars sold. Thirteen cars on track.

NAVELS.

Mt. Whitney, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville..$1.65
Full Value, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....1.50
Pocohontas, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....1.45
Hiawatha, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....1.50
Redlands, ogs, R. H. Ft. Ex., Redlands....2.05
Royal Knight, tl. R. H. Ft. Ex., Redlands....2.15
Golden Flower, Redlands O. G. A....2.35
Camelia, Redlands Mut. Og....2.40
La Bella, Redlands Mut. Og....2.05
Red C. Covina F. Ex., Covina....2.35
Couger, Covina F. Ex., Covina....2.20
Belt, R. H. Ft. Ex., E. Highlands....2.20
Ben Hur, R. H. Ft. Ex., Redlands....2.30
Newsboy, R. H. Ft. Ex., Redlands....2.40
Newsboy, tl, R. H. Ft. Ex., Redlands....2.10
Golden Gate, Redlands O. G. A....2.35
Blossom, Redlands Mut. Og....2.25

SEEDLINGS.

Valley, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....$1.60
Pocohontas, ½, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....75
Pocohontas, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....1.40
Hiawatha, ½, T. C. Ft. Ex., Porterville....90

LEMONS.

Pocohontas, T. C. Frt. Ex., Porterville..$1.70
Pet, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....2.70
Duck, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....2.10
White Cross, ? ? 2.10
Hiawatha, T. C. Fruit Ex., Porterville....1.75
Greyhound, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....2.25
Bridal Veil, Pinkham & McKeve....2.45

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather cool; market steady; five cars sold. One on track. Florida Brights, $1.75 to $1.90; russets, $1.90 to $2.05.

LEMONS.

Pet, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....$2.75
Duck, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....2.25
Greyhound, S. A. Fruit Ex., San Dimas....2.45
Hawk, S. A. Fruit Ex., Pomona....2.65

NAVELS.

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars of navels, two cars of lemons sold. Weather warmer; cloudy; market stronger; sixteen cars Floridas sold.

NAVELS.

Stag, A. C. G. Fr. Ex., Azusa....$2.25
Stag, T. L. A. C. G. Fruit Ex., Azusa....2.10
Pointer, T. L. A. C. G. Fruit Ex., Azusa....2.05
Mission Memories, A. R. Chapman....2.15
Black Hawk, A. H. Fruit Ex., Prenda....2.25
Lochinvar, R. H. Fruit Ex., E. High....2.25
Mission Bells, A. B. Chapman....2.19

BUDDED.

Mission Memories....2.04

LEMONS.

Watchumna, T. C. Frt., X. L.,Cov....$2.51
Rossmoyne Grv., E. M. Ross....2.59

Citrus Fruit Shipments.

Tuesday, Feb. 11, 172 cars oranges, and 12 cars lemons. Total to date, this season, 6972 cars, of which 1162 cars are lemons. Total to same date last year, 5862 cars, of which 752 cars were lemons.

LOS

THE WEATHER.

COMPARATIVE TEMPERATURES.

	Max.	Min.	Rain.		Max.	Min.	Rain.
	42	26		Buffalo	42	26	.54
	42	32		Cincinnati	54	42	.38
	46	40		St. Paul	40	30	.00
	46	40		Kansas City	46	42	.45
	66	54		Jacksonville	64	54	.70

...ures for day before yesterday; ...ures for yesterday. The mean is the ...temperature for the two days.

Yesterday's Forecast and Report.

...WEATHER BUREAU, Los Angeles, ...—Reported by A. B. Wellaber, Local ...At 5 o'clock a.m. the barometer ...; at 5 p.m., 29.98. Thermometer ...corresponding hours showed 46 deg. and ...; relative humidity, 6 a.m., 82 per cent.; ...p.m., 52 per cent. Wind, 5 a.m., northeast, ...per hour; 5 p.m., north, velocity 9 ...; 5 p.m., weather, clear. Rainfall ...in preceding 24 hours, .01 inch. Maximum ...Pasture, 33 deg.; minimum ...grass temperature reduced to sea level ...

...Conditions.—A storm of considerable ...is central this morning ...Colorado Valley, with a western ...covering the States of Colorado and ...The disturbance has caused quite general ...in the Middle West, the Gulf ...and in the Pacific Northwest. A ...is moving inland over the North Pacific ...which another high area is passing ...the New England coast. The conditions ...favorable for fair weather in Los ...and vicinity tonight and Thursday, ...expected places Thursday morning. ...Local forecast for Los Angeles ...Fair tonight; Thursday, fair, ...the morning northerly winds.

...Feb. 12.—Rainfall data:

	Seasonal to date.	Normal.
	16.97	15.45
	10.91	13.12
	14.21	14.52
	4.30	5.82
	12.74	12.57
	10.51	9.42
	6.98	6.13

...CISCO, Feb. 12.—The pressure has ...over the northern half of the ...The weather is generally clear, ...to extreme southeast, where there ...light showers. Snow continues to ...Western Arizona, and east-bound trav... ...report bad weather with snow in ...Forecast:

...and vicinity: Fair Thursday, ...and north winds.

...Valley: Fair Thursday; frost in ...light north winds.

...and vicinity: Fair Thursday; ...wind.

...: Fair in south; snow in north por... ...Friday, fair, warmer.

...(Exclusive Dispatch ...Geological Survey.) Gauge ...River, 13.70 feet; yesterday,

SHIPPING.

LOS ANGELES, SAN PEDRO.

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Bonga W. Elder, Capt. Jasson, ...via Eureka and San Francisco.

...Bee City, Capt. Hansen, from ...San Francisco.

...Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, 8½a ...Harbor, via San Francisco.

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, for

...Wood, Capt. Monsen, for

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Bonga W. Elder, S. P. Dock Co.

...Sudden, S. P. L. Co wharf.

...Newton, Nat'l. L. Co. wharf.

...S. P. L. Co. wharf.

...Wilson, S. P. wharf.

...Spence, S. P. wharf.

...Kerckhoff-Cuzner wharf.

...THURSDAY, FEB. 13.

...W. Elder, Capt. Jasson, for ...San Francisco and Eureka.

...BOAT TO THIS PORT.

...Freeman, from Astoria, via ...Coos, from Gray's Harbor, via ...Coquille, from Gray's Harbor, via ...Roanoke, from Portland, via San ...Roseburg, from San Francisco and ...Santa Rosa, from Hoquiam, via San ...Eureka, from Eureka, via San Fran... ...Eureka, from Eureka, via San Fran... ...Coquille, from Hoquiam, via San ...Arcata, from Eagle Harbor. ...Santa Rosa, from Astoria.

...FROM FOREIGN PORTS.

...Beechley, Capt. Forsyth, 28th ...Forty-One days from Antwerp.

...Steamer Hermosa makes daily ...Catalina Island and return.

...Vessel of "Mosquito Fleet."

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Music and Eagle, from ...with passengers.

...SAILED.

...Music and Eagle, for Long ...for fishing banks, to return ...with wholesalers.

...Time Table for San Pedro.

High.	Low
6:32 a.m.	0:09 a.m.
9:00 p.m.	2:03 p.m.
7:3. a.m.	1:30 a.m.
9:25 p.m.	2:32 p.m.
8:56 a.m.	2:01 a.m.
9:49 p.m.	2:59 p.m.
8:25 a.m.	2:26 a.m.
10:04 p.m.	3:20 p.m.
9:06 a.m.	3:53 a.m.
10:19 p.m.	3:42 p.m.
9:34 a.m.	3:22 a.m.
10:31 p.m.	4:02 p.m.
10:26 a.m.	4:29 a.m.
10:52 p.m.	4:50 p.m.
11:11 a.m.	5:07 a.m.
11:31 p.m.	5:21 p.m.
11:58 a.m.	5:32 a.m.
	5:46 p.m.
0:23 a.m.	6:05 a.m.
0:47 p.m.	6:24 p.m.
1:28 a.m.	6:35 a.m.
2:45 p.m.	7:25 p.m.

Port Items.

...Cloudy at 5 p.m.; wind south-...

...Coast Company's steamship ...Capt. Jasson, arrived this ...on schedule from Portland, ...and San Francisco, with 600 tons ...freight and merchandise and ...passengers list. The Elder will clear on ...night.

...Bee City, Capt. Hansen, ar... ...with passengers from Portland, via San ...and the Redondo-Cuzner Mill and ...Lumber Company for the National ...Company and 400 tons of grain for the ...Lumber Company and Warehouse Company.

...Santa Rosa, Capt. Monsen, ...cargo of lumber for the Pacific ...Company and sailed ...Eureka and Hoquiam to reload.

...Santa Barbara, Capt. Zaddart, ...Harbor, arrived this ...Steamer Roanoke, from Gray's Harbor, via San ...Francisco, discharging passengers at ...and will clear this afternoon for San ...Eureka.

...Schooner Ocklahi, Capt. Christensen, is ...from Gray's Harbor, via San ...with a full cargo of lumber con... ...Bandon, Coos Bay, Coquille River, ...Eureka, at Bandon, ...Coos Bay, Coquille River, Eureka, at Bandon, ...ordered to load a lumber cargo for ...Francisco.

REDONDO.

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Santa Rosa, Capt. Alexander, from ...Eureka.

...THURSDAY, FEB. 12.

...Coos, Capt. Alexander, for ...Eureka, via ports.

...Roanoke, Capt. Johnson, for ...Francisco.

...WEDNESDAY, FEB. 12.

...Hermosa, at pier No. 2.

...Coos, at pier No. 2.

TO ARRIVE.

...Steamer Queen, from San ...Francisco.

...Steamer Queen, from San ...Francisco.

...Santa Rosa, ...Francisco.

...Steamer Queen, for San ...Francisco.

...Steamer Queen, for San ...Francisco.

TUESDAY, Feb. 18—Steamer Santa Rosa, for San Diego.

WEDNESDAY, Feb. 19—Steamer Santa Rosa, for San Francisco and way ports.

SAILING FOR REDONDO.

British steamer Leonides, from Mororan, Japan.

Norwegian steamer Aker, from Mororan, Japan.

Schooner Allen A., from Gray's Harbor.

Steamer Santa Rosa, from San Francisco.

Schooner W. J. Patterson, from Gray's Harbor.

Schooner Irene, from Columbia River.

Schooner J. H. Bruce, from Willipa.

Barkentine Retriever, from Winslow.

Schooner Ethel Zane, from Olympia.

Schooner Salvator, from Tacoma.

Steamer George Loomis, from Point Richmond.

Steamer Queen, from San Francisco.

Barkentine C. F. Crocker, from Tacoma.

Schooner R. E. Godfrey, from Tacoma.

Schooner A. M. Baxter, from Tacoma.

Steamer Nome City, from Portland.

Steamer South Coast, from Casco.

Schooner Expansion, from Columbia River.

Schooner Luzon, from Columbia River.

Schooner Bangor, from Tacoma.

Notes.

The steamer Santa Rosa arrived this morning from San Diego, and proceeded to San Francisco and intermediate ports.

The barkentine J. M. Griffith sailed today for Columbia River to reload for this port.

REAL ESTATE RECORDS.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

WEDNESDAY, FEBRUARY 12, 1908.

Ruth A Price to R Howard, lot 29, block A, C Lutes sub, $900.

Phoenix Development Co to Mary E Whiting and Mary J Whiting, lot 2, block A, F E Reeves sub, $8.

Union Trust & Realty Co to G M Lashley, lot 7, block E, Strong & Dickinsons Hollywood High School tract, $10.

Ella Gates to G Trenary, lots 34 35 and 36, First add to Central Park Vernon, $300.

Ella L Hurt to June M Sweet, lot 9, Loma Ave tract No 2, $10.

L J Yeakel to A Blessing, part lots 22 and 23, add to Saratoga tract, $10.

Elizabeth B Wright to Sarah E Eppinger, lot 11, block 5, Wright & Callenders tract, $10.

Same to same, lot 14, block B, same tract, $10.

G L Carroll to Mrs Jane Smith, lot 26, Greens Central ave tract, $10.

J Odwarker to J Schneider, lot 12, Odwarker tract, $10.

El Molino Investment Co to Margaretta Lazah, lots 1 2 3 and part lots 22 23 and 24, El Molino Orchard Park, $10.

Margaretta Lazah to S C Paterson, lot 21, block 3, Kinney Hgts tract, $10.

S C Paterson to A R Pierce, lot 21, block 3, Kinney Hgts tract, $10.

J O McLamont to C T Beeson, part lots 3 and 4, W Nosworthys resub, $10.

Lula N Lotteau to Elizabeth Becker, lot 22 and part lot 31, block C, Entwistle tract, $10.

F Teetz to D Fashols, lot 21, Pecks sub of block 46, San Pedro, $10.

D M Robinson to H J Rich, lot 13, block 11, Huntington Park Extn No. 1, $10.

Katie A Dederichs to Julia E Lord, lot 15, Wheeler Place, $10.

C S Berry to J H Hixson, lot 23, Bancroft tract, $10.

C V La Fontaine to Emily O Brown, lot beg at point in S line of 20th st, dist thereon 86 ft E from NE cor of lot 5, Niles Home tract, th E alg said S line of 20th st 50 ft, th S etc, $10.

M Swanson to Ed Culbert, lot 36, Grider & Hamiltons Sunnyside tract No 2, $10.

J H Goodlee to L B Berry, lot 25, block 4, Connels sub of block 53, Lick tract, $10.

F B Vassey to W S Bell, lot 40, Kensington Place, $10.

Dollar Sav Bk & Tr Co to D L Smith, lot 17, block C, North Park tract, $10.

Alhambra Land Co to C H Ayres, lot 18, block 4, Belmont Hgts, $10.

J F Humiduett to W T Waer, part lot 4, block J, Pickering Land & Water Cos sub of John M Thomas Ranch, $10.

Clara E Smith to C Deutsch, part lot 3, block 15, Charles Victor tract, $10.

Broadway Bk & Tr Co to S T Smith, lot 21, Wellington Place, $10.

J M Diels to J M Greene, lots 3 and 54, Walnut Place, lot 3, J T Burtons South Pars tract, $10.

J M Greene to J M Diels, lots 6 and 7, Abbot Kinney tract, $10.

Sylva J Lestage and Annie Lestage to G Lacour, und ½ int in part lots 2 and 3, block 1, Edmonds Adams st tract, $10.

G Lacour to Sylva J Lestage, lot 34, Sunset Beach tract, $10.

A H Tufts to L Fleming, und ½ int in lot 5, block A, Hughes & Burritts sub of block 179, Pomona, $10.

L Fleming to S N Curry, lot 5, block A, same sub, $10.

S N Curry to H P McGowan, lot 6, block A, Hughes & Burritts sub of block 179, Pomona, $10.

W E Wilkes to Adelia E Cameron, lot 173 Greens Central ave tract, $10.

S Harris and P W Tully to Margaret Tully, lot 92, Rimly Heights tract, $10.

Board of Public Works of City of L A to L D Brode, lot 5, block 15, South Woodlawn.

R Barry to F E Hicks, lots 13 to 22, Fourth st Vista, $25.

J Oakley and F Oakley to D J Kelly, lot 1, Oakleys Home tract, $1200.

M Therese Bell to G H Rector, lot 24, block 5, Copenharven tract, $10.

W H Bracley to J O Isaacson, lots 1 to 12, block 1, Pasadena Highland tract, $10.

T J Lee Bridget M Lee W McGrath and Mary M McGrath to Mary E Moore, lots 16 and 17, Grandest View tract, $10.

Stella E Cave to G K Glenn, lot 8, Colorado Villa tract, $10.

L A Investment Co to Pearl D Foss, lot 291, St Vincent College tract, $10.

Pearl D Foss to L A Investment Co, lot 291, same tract, $10.

G Perkins, Jr, to Schumacher-Wilson Realty Co, lots 29, 30, 31, 32, 33 and 34, Los Olivos tract No 2, Eagle Rock, $10.

J M Hudson to E Welton, lot 5, block H, Currier tract, in Pomona, $10.

Nellie A Gore to W H Parks, part lot 10, block V, Garvanza addition No 1, $10.

Southwest Land Co of Los Angeles to L H Myers, lot 4, block 18, Vermont Avenue Square, $10.

San Pedro Land Co to Mrs Harriett Zielley, lot 18, block 9, Peoks subdivision of blocks 6, 7, 8, and 9, Carolina tract, $450.

Merchants' Trust Co to A A Leary, lot 245, Winton & McLeods Figueroa Street tract No 5, $10.

Hattie H Crary to M Brubaker, lot 25, Vermont and Melrose Avenue tract, $10.

A Vogt to Adele W Griffith, part lot 16, Pisecco tract, $10.

J Snyder to S Jennie Heartwell, lot 7, block 3, Tutt tract, Long Beach, $10.

G G Davis to R J Soper, lot 23, block A, Johnson tract, in Long Beach, $10.

G R Browning, Frances Browning, F W Browning and Hallie Browning to G W Long, lot 11, browning tract, $10.

G Hallwachs to A Lorenz, lot 23, Mary H Newton tract, $10.

E O Thomason, Elizabeth Thomason, E H Keller and Lida S Keller to D D Detwiler, part section 28, township 1 north, range 10 west, $10.

W V Hawkes to J F Denny, lots 33 and 34, block 8; lots 9 and 10, block 7, Lawndale, $10.

U L Dike Investment Co to C E Graves, lots 51 and 53, Nevada Vista Villa tract, $10.

R C Beach to R O Whitney, lot 18, Venice Creek tract, $10.

J P Englehardt to R H Englehardt, lots 123, 124 and 125, J E Packard Vineyard tract, to Pomona, $10.

F L Dingman to Catherine H Mack, lots 3 and 14, block C, subdivision No 1 of lands of Azusa Land & Water Co, $10.

G W Wilson to E C Packard, lot K, Margaret C Grahams tract, $10.

C Vaughn to J D Vaughn, part section 11, township 1 south, range 10 west, gift.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co to Mrs Jessie Perry, lots 101 and 102, Peckham Moneta Avenue Square No 1, $10.

C H Brown to W S Magee, undivided ½ interest in lots 8, 10, 12, 13, 14, 15, 22, 23, 24 and 27, Idlewild tract No 1, $10.

Redondo Improvement Co to J Turner, lots 1 and 2, block 98, Redondo Beach, $10.

J C Vandervolgen to W M Browning, lot 4, Angels Heights tract, $10.

T W Pettit to W M Browning, lot 3, block 107, Redondo Beach, $10.

D Gentry to W M Browning, lot 3, Angels Heights, tract, $10.

Hattie L Murphy to C T Norton, part block D, Painter & Ball tract, $10.

C T Norton to W H Scribner, same property as above, $10.

C A Taft, trustee for Metropolitan Surety Co of New York City, to W Thompson, lot 19, Boyle Place, $16.

Union Trust & Realty Co to T E McLaughlin, lot 344, Burcks Golden tract, $10.

Merchants' Trust Co to J H Doner, lot 221, Walters Main Street and Moneta Avenue tract No 2, $10.

J H Doner to C A Mead, lot 21, Walters Main Street and Moneta Avenue tract No 2, $10.

O Rice to Mrs Sarah W Hughes, lot 15, Hermosa Terrace tract No 2, $10.

Hermosa Beach Land & Water Co, O Rice and Esther C Rice to Sarah W Hughes, lots 7, 8, 9 and 10, block 3, Hermosa Park tract, $10.

J A Carter, W W Carter, A Englehardt and L E Englehardt to J S Millheimer, part section 24, township 1 south, range 12 west, $10.

Glendale Development Co to Mary E Burrington, lots 28 and 29, block D, Glendale Valley View tract, $10.

Mineral Park Land Co to Lillie Bryan, part lot 27, Oak Ridge tract, $10.

J H Bohon to G W King, agreement to convey lot 335, Figueroa Boulevard tract, $525.

S A Willson to Anna Willson, lot 26, block C, Martin tract, $10.

Title Guarantee & Trust Co to C C Wood, lots 62 and 70, Pioneer Investment & Trust Cos University Place, $10.

E N Workman to A H Georgensen, lots 24 and 25, Bundage Palm Place, $10.

L A Securities Co to Mrs M S Walker, lot 7, block 27, Redondo Villa tract, $20.

A Phillips to G Lindall, lots 1 and 2, Phillips Old Home tract, $10.

J E Rice to Mary A Rice, lots 136 and 137, M L Wicks subdivision of lots 304 and 305, South & Porter tract; east portion of Germain & Archibald tract, and part of Kercheval tract, $10.

U L Dike Investment Co to A R Plumb, lot 40, Nevada Vista Villa tract, $10.

A H Beach to L D Cornuelle, lot 10, Marlborough Place, $10.

F Jacobs to L A Investment Co, lots 20 and 21, block A, Burkhard Home tract, $10.

M L Falkenstein to M Feely, lot 11, Conger's Central Avenue tract, $16.

J F Kendall to F Simmonds, lot 9, Kendall's Berry Land tract, $10.,

S Bixby to Smith, lot 10, block 3, Bixby & Dalrymple's South Park tract, $10.

Los Angeles Securities Company to C W Hasselman, lots 5, 6, 7 and 20, Redondo Villa tract, $10.

Same to same, lot 1, block 20, Redondo Villa tract, $10.

Same to same, lot 2, block 20, Redondo Villa tract, $10.

J H Johnston to Minnie A Foster Colman, lot 9, block 29, Observatory Heights, $10.

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J H Johnston to Minnie A Foster Colman, lot 8, block 29, Observatory Heights

THE CITY IN BRIEF

The Down and Out Club.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Volunteers of America.

Nathan Newby, attorney, will address a meeting at the hall of the Volunteers of America tonight. There will be good music, and the public is invited.

Says Owes Twelve Thousand.

J. L. Berry, a dealer in machinists' supplies in this city, filed a petition in bankruptcy yesterday in the United States District Court. His stated liabilities are about $12,000.

Lecturer from Port Said.

Mrs. M. L. Richardson, for the past seven years a missionary in Port Said, Egypt, will deliver an interesting free address in Peniel Hall, No. 227 South Main street, this evening, at 8 o'clock.

Booked on Suspicion.

Albert Hood was arrested on East Fourth street last night and booked at the Police Station on suspicion. He is believed to have stolen two pair of overalls and a pair of shoes from an East Second-street store.

For Sweet Charity.

The following amounts were received by The Times yesterday: Salvation Army, from B. H. W., $10; Columbia Paper Company, $1.50; "for soup," $1. These amounts were delivered yesterday. For the Volunteers of America, $1, and for Bethlehem Institution, from A. McF., $10, which will be delivered today.

The Feminine Way.

Edith Tilford, 11 years old, living at No. 1208 Trenton avenue, stepped off backward from a west-bound Eleventh street car last night and landed on her head. The car was moving slowly but she fell heavily and when taken to the Receiving Hospital was found to have a contusion of the back of the head. She was treated and sent home.

Cowboy Outfit Stolen.

Charged with having stolen a saddle valued at $100, a blanket and a pair of "chaps" belonging to John Ansel, a cowpuncher employed at Chutes Park, Roy Murray, Merced Valdez and Wallace Pagget, were arrested last night. The property was recovered at No. 1717 Lemon street, where the men had been living. All three were formerly employed at the park.

Delays "Reds'" Departure.

Magon, Villareal and Rivera, the Mexican revolutionists, who have been ordered removed to Arizona, there to answer to the charge of conspiring to march an armed expedition into Mexico, took appeal to the United States Supreme Court yesterday. The Federal officials are confident that the appeal will be dismissed as having no merit. The action, however, delays the extradition of the prisoners for several months.

Beaten, but Saves Purse.

Her head and face covered with lacerations, Padra Gonsales was taken to the Receiving Hospital last night for treatment. She told the officers she was drinking with a man at her home, No. 430 Aliso street, when he seized her purse and endeavored to get away. She offered resistance and in the fight which followed was roughly handled but managed to retain her pocketbook. She gave the officers a description of her assailant.

Dunlap Goes Up.

Reorganization of the Third Regiment, Uniform Rank, K. of P., has resulted in shifting Robert L. Mueller to the post of adjutant, with the rank of captain. Robert L. Dunlap, deputy clerk of the Supreme Court, fills the vacancy in the First Battalion, and becomes battalion adjutant, with the rank of first lieutenant. Though he has not held office before, Mr. Dunlap is well up in the work of the order, having been a private for seven years. The Third Regiment is being reorganized in preparation for the grand lodge meeting at Long Beach next May.

Governor May Come.

Gov. Gillett and other State officers have been invited to address the big Republican banquet at Levy's on the 29th inst., and special efforts are to be made to have George A. Knight present from Eureka, to deliver one of his celebrated silver-tongued orations. At a meeting last evening of members of the Second and Third Ward Republican Club, which is arranging for the spread, the various committees reported everything fairly in readiness for the event, which promises to be one of the most successful political dinners ever given in Los Angeles. At least 500 persons are expected to sit at the board, the invitation being general to all Republicans in the city.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 10:30 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion may be over the counter until 11:30 p.m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time

$2.50 to $5.00 eyeglasses and spectacles reduced to $1.50. We will fit your eyes with a pair of A-1 crystal lenses in a ten-year gold-filled frame for $1.50 and guarantee them to be satisfactory. Others charge you $3.50 to $5.00 for the same kind. Consultation free. Clark's Optical Parlors, 251 So. Spring st., opposite Hellman Bldg.

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A. E. Pierce will find at this office a letter of great value addressed to him.

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There are undelivered messages at the Postal Telegraph office for The National Bank, Frank Rogers, M. Hale, Walter Jamison, R. W. Gallagher, J. H. Dawlin, Wm. W. Beverly and E. Lahare.

WARRANT FOR FAIR WITNESS.

Judge Issues Arrest Order in Murder Trial.

Long Hypothetical Question by Prosecution.

Bitter Fight of Defense to Keep It Out.

A warrant was issued by Judge Wilbur yesterday for the arrest of one of the witnesses in the Corwell murder trial, who has failed to appear. This witness is Mrs. Nance Foulks, a cousin of the prisoner, who lives at The Needles. She was subpoenaed as a witness by the defense to testify in regard to certain visits she made with the defendant outside of Los Angeles at various times, claimed by the prosecution to be with other men.

With the realization that the day was the anniversary of her so-called engagement to George T. Bennett, Mrs. Estelle Corwell, who is on trial for his murder, yesterday wept a great part of the time, and once broke down and created such a scene that the court proceedings had to be stopped.

Just seven years ago yesterday Bennett gave Mrs. Corwell a ring, upon which was inscribed: "George to Stella, 2-12-01." It was a coincidence that Judge Wilbur should call for the ring and read aloud the inscription in open court. Mrs. Corwell buried her face upon the shoulder of her devoted cousin, Miss Emma Quinones, and sobbed softly.

Deputy District Attorney Blair, for the prosecution, started the day's proceedings by calling Dr. James T. Fisher to the stand as an expert in mental diseases, and propounded to him a long hypothetical question, based upon the evidence at the trial.

When that part of the question was reached in which the killing of Bennett was described, Mrs. Corwell gave one shriek and then went into a violent fit of hysterics, and for the time the trial had to end until she was calmed.

SAYS SHE WAS SANE.

Although Dr. Fisher was the first witness called, it was only just as court adjourned late in the afternoon that he had an opportunity to answer the first question put to him, as to whether, based upon the hypothetical question, and assuming the facts to be true, the defendant was sane or insane.

Dr. Fisher then stated that, in his opinion, she was sane.

From start to finish Attorney Appel for the defense fought the question as submitted by Deputy District Attorney Blair.

"When I get through with the hypothetical question it will be like a shadow," remarked Appel. But it was a shadow substantial enough to call forth a general objection at the finish.

Lined up as experts for the prosecution waiting to be called, were Drs. Campbell, Wernecke and Davis, but they never had a chance. Their turn will come this morning.

Attorney Appel made every point in his objections that it was possible to do and when his general objection was overruled he took up the question clause by clause.

LONG, HARD FIGHT.

"I never heard of a hypothetical question like this which absolutedy assumes the sanity of the defendant and carries its own answer," declared the attorney for the defense.

"I do not conceive that in our question we have to incorporate all the contentions of our adversary," retorted Mr. Blair.

"Oh, it's like telling the expert that the patient is sane and then asking if she is," replied Appel.

He moved to strike out that part of the question referring to the defendant's alleged engagement with Scofield, who even went so far as to get a marriage license.

It was in this connection that as a proof of the alleged engagement of Mrs. Corwell to Bennett at the same time that Judge Wilbur called for her "engagement" ring, which she wore the night she killed Bennett.

And so it went all through the day; Appel moving to strike out certain statements and Blair opposing. Judge Wilbur made many amendments and struck out some portions, but the bulk of the question was allowed.

PIONEER PASSES.

Mrs. Frieda Meyer, a pioneer resident of California, died late Tuesday afternoon at the home of her daughter, Mrs. Carl C. Rice, No. 5542 Pasadena avenue. Mrs. Meyers was 77 years old, and was a widow, her husband, Theodore Meyer, having passed away several years ago. Four daughters are left, Mrs. Rice, Mrs. Ellen M. Devoy of Eureka, Mrs. Louise M. Worth of San Diego and Mrs. Blackwell of No. 1210 Magnolia avenue, this city.

VITAL RECORD { BIRTHS. DEATHS. MARRIAGES. DIVORCE.

Deaths.

BECKLEY. In this city, February 10, 1908, F. B. Beckley, aged 59 years. Funeral services from Bresee Brothers' chapel, 855 Figueroa street, Thursday, at 10:30 o'clock.

RUDISILL. In this city, February 11, 1908, H J. Rudisill, aged 52 years. Interment private, Thursday, February 13, at Evergreen Cemetery.

FARGO. At her residence, 1048 Temple street, Margaret Elizabeth, beloved wife of Dwight Fargo, mother of Elizabeth Fargo, Mrs. C[illegible]es M Williams of this city, Mrs. J. W. Dickerson of Indianapolis, and B. D. Fargo of Spokane, Wash. Funeral notice later.

GUIDINGER. At San Jacinto, February 6, 1908, of cancer, Mrs. Peter J. Guidinger.

WASHBURN. February 11, 1908, Charles L. Washburn, aged 38 years, beloved husband of Jennie Boswell Washburn, father of Eloise Washburn, son of L. H. Washburn, brother of Jessie M. and Frank L. Washburn and nephew of Charles A. Lloyd. Funeral from his late residence, No. 1213 West Seventh street, Thursday, February 13, at 2 p.m.

TOWNE. In this city, February 11, 1908, Maude D. Towne. Remains at the chapel of Orr & Edwards Company. Funeral notice later.

BARCE. In this city, February 12, Oscar T. Pearce. Remains at the chapel of Orr & Edwards Company. Funeral notice later.

STRADER. In this city, February 10, 1908, Franklin E. W. Strader, aged 52 years 3 months. Funeral from the chapel of Robert L. Garrett Company, No. 1237 South Flower street, February 14 at 2 p.m. Interment at Evergreen Cemetery. (Kansas City and Oregon papers please copy.)

BRADLEY. February 12, Andrew J. Bradley, a native of Vermont, aged 63 years. Funeral from the parlors of Cunningham & O'Connor, Friday, February 14, at 2:30 a.m. Requiem mass at Cathedral of St. Vibiana at 9 a.m. Interment, Calvary Cemetery.

CORNING. Entered into rest, February 12, 1908, at No. 214 West Avenue 52, Mrs. Etta F. Corning, a native of Illinois, aged 60 years. Funeral from John R. Paul's funeral chapel, Friday afternoon, 3 o'clock. Friends invited to attend. Under auspices of Los Angeles Chapter, No. 168, O.E.S. Interment Freeport, Ill.

MEYER. At the residence of her daughter, February 12, Mrs. C. C. Rice, No. 5542 Pasadena avenue, Frieda L. Meyer, aged 77 years. Funeral from the chapel of Overholtzer-Mills Company, Thursday (today) at 3 p.m. Friends invited. Cremation at Los Angeles Crematory.

WING. At his residence, 1017 Elden avenue, Los Angeles, February 12, 1908, Horace B. Wing, M.D., aged 50 years. Notice of funeral later.

ROSE. In Los Angeles, February 12, 1908, Walter Mallon Rose, aged 39 years. Funeral at the family residence, 688 Wilshire Place, Friday at 3 o'clock. Interment, Rosedale.

HAKELIER. At his home, 1912 West Twentieth street, Los Angeles, February 11, 1908, Oscar Hakelier, aged 62 years. Funeral at 2 p.m., Saturday, from home. Interment at Rosedale Cemetery.

Marriages.

BURGE-HEDDERGOTH. Jesse H. Burge, aged 46, a native of Indiana, and Ella Heddergoth, aged 39, a native of Germany, both residents of Los Angeles.

JENNINGS-MORRIS. William Jennings, aged 52, a native of New York, and Elizabeth Morris, aged 52, a native of New York, both residents of Los Angeles.

THOMSON-NEITO. David E. Thomson, aged 33, a native of California and a resident of Randsburg, and Sadie Neito, aged 22, a native of California and a resident of Los Angeles.

LOWES-DUNCOMBE. John Lowes, aged 28, a native of California, and Erma! Duncombe, aged 19, a native of Michigan, both residents of Gardena.

ANDERSON-PATTON. David Anderson, aged 32, a native of Scotland, and Elizabeth Patton, aged 27, a native of Texas, both residents of Los Angeles.

HOOD-THIERMAN. Calvin C. Hood, aged 22, a native of Kansas, and Maude E. Thierman, aged 21, a native of Iowa, both residents of Pomona.

CHACE-PALM. Arnold B. Chace, Jr., aged 35, a native of Rhode Island and a resident of Sioux Falls, S. D., and Anne C. Palm, aged 30, a native of Pennsylvania and a resident of Sioux Falls, S. D.

TOLHURST-METLER. George W. Tolhurst, aged 30, a native of England, and Ada E. Metler, aged 40, a native of Michigan, both residents of Los Angeles.

DWIGHT-SMITH. Fred D. Dwight, aged 25, a native of Missouri and a resident of Redondo, and Myrtle E. Smith, aged 22, a native of Indiana and a resident of Los Angeles.

FARRELL-LISTON. John J. Farrell, aged 50, a native of Wisconsin and a resident of Greenwood, B. C., and Mary E. Liston, aged 46, a native of Ireland and a resident of Glenwood.

BEZONA-BLOUGH. Fred [illegible] Bezona, aged 21, a native of Kansas, and a resident of Los Angeles, and Susan Blough, aged 38, a native of Illinois and a resident of St. Joseph, Mo.

OREB-ARNOLD. Antonio Oreb, aged 22, a native of Austria, and Daisy Arnold, aged 24, a native of Oregon, both residents of Sawtelle.

VOELKER-MORRIS. George F. Voelker, aged 23, a native of Ohio, and Veda R. Morris, aged 18, a native of Oregon, both residents of Los Angeles.

ABRAMSON-SILVERMAN. Isidore J. Abramson, aged 24, a native of Russia, and Bessie Silverman, aged 17, a native of Russia, both residents of Los Angeles.

ROSS-WELTON. Fred B. Ross, aged 40, a native of Indiana, and E. Blanche Welton, aged 28, a native of Canada, both residents of Pasadena.

Divorce.

SUITS. H. T. Rogers against Flora L. Rogers; Emily Cochran against Addison Cochran.

DECREES. Samuel Rogers against Lela Rogers; Callie D. Taylor against Roy J. Taylor.

Los Angeles Chapter, No. 168, O.E.S.

The members are requested to attend the funeral of Sister Etta F. Corning, Friday, February 14, 3 p.m., at John R. Paul's undertaking parlors, corner Avenue 21 and Downey avenue By order of the Worthy Matron.

HELEN A. M'CALLUM, Secretary.

WEST GATE LODGE, No. 335, F. & A. M., will confer the second degree this (Thursday) evening.

AUGUST WACKERBARTH, Secretary.

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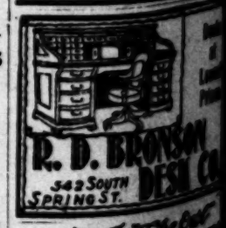

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PIPE ORGAN BARGAINS.

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HUNTER.

ON THE TRAIL TO THE FINISH.

Relentless Federal Agent Gets His Man.

Thousands of Miles Along Coast Pursues.

Noted Fighter Has Alleged Nome Swindler.

Yesterday saw the finish of one of the most romantic, exciting and relentless chases of an alleged criminal that has ever had denouement in this city. Starting in the frozen sands of Nome, down to the sun-kissed lands of Mexico, back to the City of the Angels, on to Oakland and to San Francisco, then back to San Pedro, the chase has been going on since last summer, with the final arrest at this city's port yesterday morning.

The story is an interesting one, and shows that a Nemesis will sometimes follow, even to the ends of the earth, especially if that Nemesis happens to be what it was in this case—an expert chaser of dangerous malefactors, with the fearless record of an Indian fighter behind him, and withal the modesty of a big man who stands six feet five in his stockings.

Such a man is Joel F. Warren, one of the true products of the West, who ended his peregrinations yesterday by landing his prisoner behind the bars of the City Jail, after a continuous chase which has covered thousands of miles and has been several times within striking distance of a finish.

George Quigley is the captive. He was indicted by the grand jury of the Second Division of the District of Alaska, which returned a true bill against him in September, 1906, on a charge of embezzling $2000 from H. L. Miller, a banker of Nome, formerly with the Wells-Fargo Bank, and now spending the winter in San Francisco as an employé of the San Francisco clearinghouse.

IMAGINARY MINE SELLS.

The method adopted in the alleged fraud is by no means new, but one wonders how such a man as the diminutive specimen arrested yesterday could have made the old trick work. Fired with the desire to make money quickly in a district where millions are verbally handled in an extremely careless manner, Miller was "easy money" for any man with a fabulously rich mine. And it didn't seem to cut much figure whether the mine existed in the stern reality or merely in the productive imagination of the man who brought it to the banker's attention.

Quigley was not slow to realize the possibilities of an exploitation of the banker's gullibility, and he soon possessed himself, so the story goes, of an imaginative mine of great wealth in the Solomon district, forty miles from Nome. It was far enough away to prevent the banker from taking a notion to examine it for himself, and near enough to lend plausibility to the story that Quigley had just arrived from the scene, and was willing, for a due cash consideration, to let the banker in on a "good thing."

And so the deal was made to the extent of $2000, and the banker got—the experience. Quigley apparently got the cash. And then the chase began. Quigley took the first convenient boat to the land where money can be spent, if you have it, without any embarrassing questions asked. But the banker was wroth and took his woes to the grand jury, with the result that Warren was placed on this trail with orders to go to Death Valley or any other hot place—but to bring his man back. He does that when he's sent out.

TRACED HERE LAST SUMMER.

Warren first came to California last summer, having obtained a clew which located Quigley in this neighborhood. Before action could be had, however, the hunted had obtained wind of the officer's proximity and immediately left for Mexico without standing on the order of his going. When the coast was apparently clear he came back to Los Angeles, and was then traced to Oakland, San Francisco and Alameda. Two weeks ago he was located at San Pedro, and has since been under close surveillance by Detectives Roberds and Talamantes, of the local force, who were detailed on the case, and to whom Warren, with characteristic modesty, is willing to give all the credit for the capture which he brought about.

The last stages of the chase were undertaken last night when hunter and hunted took a Southern Pacific train for the North, with Seattle as the immediate objective point. There Quigley will be turned over to the United States Marshal and temporarily domiciled in the County Jail until the sun melts the obstructing ice floes and navigation to Alaska is resumed. The final stage of the return trip will not be made until late in May and Quigley cannot, therefore, face trial before the middle of June.

SPITE WORK, SAYS QUIGLEY.

The prisoner declared yesterday that his arrest is the result of spite work, and that he cannot understand what he is wanted for. He willingly waived formalities attending his removal, and expressed himself as ready to go anywhere. He is a small, red-faced man, dressed in ordinary attire, with the inevitable lige-colored Stetson of the prospector. He says he had no intention of running away, and that he could have avoided capture forever by remaining in Mexico.

But the principal interest of the story lies in the personality of the big man who made the capture. He is a typical product of the West in the days when frontier life meant something and when successful men were known by the number of notches on their guns. Warren went to the Northwest from Missouri in his early twenties, and drifted with the westward tide to Spokane, then coming into prominence through the building of the Northern Pacific Railroad. In those days Indian scares were on the menu of the pioneer, and Warren soon became known as a man of lion-hearted courage, quick with his gun, modest to a degree, and with a heart as soft as a woman's. In 1884 Spokane began to put on metropolitan airs, and when a peace force was suggested Warren was sworn in as the first police officer of the young city, in 1884.

TERROR TO BAD MEN.

Though only 24 years of age at that time he became a terror to bad men and was mixed up in numerous shooting affairs with some of the toughest characters that then followed railroad construction. For three successive terms he was elected Chief of Police and served with distinction through 1887, 1888 and 1889. After the city acquired more dignity and had adopted a charter, Warren was appointed Chief of Police by Mayor Olmstead, in 1897, and served for two years.

When the Nome excitement broke out Warren joined the rush and acquired valuable mining property, which in the last year has netted him and four partners $160,000. He has no pressing need for the emoluments from the work he is now engaged in, but the effects of early training are in him yet, and he turns naturally to criminal work in the absence of Indians and other worthy foes of the western days now gone. He has been Chief of Police at Nome, where he cut some more notches in his shooting-iron, and for the past three years has been Deputy Marshal for the Nome district, and in the special employ of the government.

Federal Special Agent Joel F. Warren,
fearless man hunter, who pursued George Quigley, alleged embezzler, back and forth from Alaska to Mexico and finally captured him yesterday in San Pedro.

MISSING.

BEER CASHIER GONE TO MEET "BESSIE"?

R. F. MOSS, cashier of the Maier Brewing Company, "polished gentleman" and man about town, has disappeared. All that remains to remind his Los Angeles acquaintances of him is an alleged shortage at the brewery company of $119 and a note found among his belongings, signed "Bessie." The note says: "Meet me at Sixth and Spring streets tonight, my love, for I am hungry for you, and long to feel your dear strong arms about me."

Police Detective Hosick refused to make a positive statement about the case yesterday, but intimated that Moss must be still trying out the "dear, strong arm" business, for the officer failed to find any sign of the missing cashier after having spent the night hiding behind the door leading to Moss's apartments.

The officials of the Maier Brewing Company filed a complaint against Moss early Tuesday morning before Justice Summerfield in the Township Court. At that time they had learned of the sudden departure of the cashier, but did not know of the amount of the alleged shortage. An officer was sent to watch the apartments occupied by Moss on South Hill street, near Sixth. Nothing had been disturbed. The cashier had left his belongings just as though he had gone for a walk—possibly to meet Bessie—and had not returned.

The officer waited the entire day. Then Detective Hosick was sent there. During the lonely hours of the night he waited for the man with the "dear, strong arms," but Moss did not appear. A search was made of his room. A letter was found from his wife, in which she reproached him for some act, and in which she stated that she would never live with him again. With that letter was an order issued from a New York divorce court in which Moss was told to appear and answer charges filed against him by Fay Moss.

The letter from Bessie in which she called attention to his "dear, strong arms," had evidently been received by Moss on the day of his departure.

The police do not know whether Moss eloped with the young woman, or whether he left the city for a short vacation. All his belongings are in his rooms, and if the statement of the officials of the brewing company is followed out, Moss will be at liberty to return and secure his property. They said that the complaint against their cashier would be withdrawn, since the shortage was found to be so small, and that they would take no steps against him.

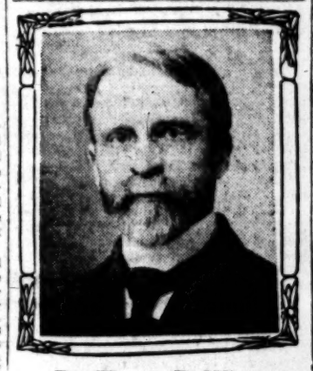
Moss had been employed at the Maier Brewing Company as cashier for some time, and had always been a hard-working and faithful man, according to the statements of his friends and acquaintances at the brewery.

DR. HORACE WING NO MORE.

Final Call Comes to Well-Known Physician, Mason and Member of Sunset Club.

After an illness of two months, Dr. Horace B. Wing died yesterday afternoon at his home, No. 1017 Elden avenue. Pneumonia, developing from an aggravated attack of grip, was the cause of death.

Dr. Wing for many years was assistant surgeon for the western division of the Santa Fé Railroad. He also was professor of clinical medicine and physical diagnosis in the medical college, University of Southern California. In partnership with his brother, Dr. Elbert Wing, he practiced medicine in Los Angeles for many years.



Dr. Horace B. Wing.

Dr. Wing was born at Collinsville, Ill., in 1858. He graduated from Illinois College at Jacksonville in 1880 and in 1886 took the degree of M.D. at the Chicago Medical College. The following year he came to Los Angeles and from then on made his home here. In 1889 he was married, at Jacksonville, to Miss Adeline Stearns.

Both as a practitioner and as a professor of medical topics he took high rank and in the subjects which he taught at the local medical college was considered a final authority. He was prominent in Masonic circles, being a member of Southern California Lodge, No. 278, F. and A.M. He also belonged to the Sunset Club. A widow and two children, Margaret Wing and Elbert Wing, survive.

YOUNG LAWYER DEAD.

Walter Malins Rose, President of the Stanford Club and Member of University Society, Passes.

Walter Malins Rose, well-known lawyer, president of the Stanford and member of the University Club, died yesterday at his home, No. 698 Wilshire place, from shock following an operation for appendicitis. He had been ill but little more than a week and the news of his death comes as a great shock to his many friends.

Mr. Rose was 36 years old, and had spent most of his years in Ontario. He was a graduate of Stanford and of Cornell Law School. A widow and 6-year-old son survive, as well as his father, Henry J. Rose of Ontario, two sisters in the same city, Mrs. Isabel Neales and Mrs. Ethel Fredenhall, and a brother, Andrew H. Rose, a lawyer of this city. The funeral will be held tomorrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at the family residence.

As a writer of law books, Mr. Rose gained wide fame. The chief work of his life was "Notes on United States Reports," thirteen volumes, which is used all over the country. At the time it was published the author received letters of congratulation from all the United States Court Justices. He wrote two other books of great value to lawyers. One was the "United States Supreme Court Digest," and the other, which was finished only last June, was the "Code of Federal Procedure," in three volumes.

LOVE-SICK, SEEKS DEATH.

A. L. Gretsinger of No. 426½ Towne avenue yesterday attempted suicide by swallowing nineteen tablets of bichloride of mercury. He is at the Emergency Hospital, where his life is despaired of. He took enough poison to kill ten men.

Despondency, caused by the fact that he had no money with which to return to New York and marry, is alleged to have caused Gretsinger to attempt his life. He was out of work and did not have enough money to live on, much less to make the trip across the continent.

A note from his sweetheart, in which she asked him to return to her, was found in his room.

SECRETLY MARRIED.

H. B. Crouch, a jeweler at Mercantile Place and South Broadway, was secretly married to Iveline Eicholz of this city at Santa Ana, last Thursday. The newly-wedded couple have returned to the city and taken apartments at the Leighton, where the groom formerly resided. The news of the wedding came as a surprise to the friends of the contracting parties.

END-BEGINNING.

FOR GRAFTERS HOOKS REACH.

New Grand Jury to Look Into Gambling.

Fierce Police Scandal Is the Result Expected.

Work of the Present Body Is About Finished.

Although the present grand jury has had its last session, grafters are by no means secure.

The severe inquisition has not ended. Has, in fact, just begun. Another grand jury will immediately be sworn and take up the work now unfinished.

One of the first investigations will be of the rumors of the gambling dens allowed to run in Los Angeles under police "protection." A fierce scandal is expected.

The gambling scandal has been broached to the present grand jury. The members, however, balked. There was a virtual strike.

Some of the members of the jury are reported to have gone to Judge Conrey, insisting upon being discharged. They said they love their country to beat the band, and know their duty when they see it, and have a high regard for the obligations of citizenship, etc., etc., but they don't want to be sentenced for life to pry into the family trouble of the county government.

As the jury has been in session since the early part of last May—being the longest term of any grand jury in this country—the business interests of all the members have suffered severely.

Although he has refused several previous requests for adjournment on the ground that the matters under consideration must be finished, Judge Conrey finally yielded. If the plans of yesterday are not changed, the jurors will not meet again to hear testimony. They will be called into court this morning, however, to be examined by the attorneys of the men indicted for alleged election frauds at Venice. An attempt will be made to show that the indictments came out of spite work.

Very soon, thereafter, the jury will present its report, now in preparation, and be discharged.

The order for the drawing of the names of the next jury has already been presented.

No grand jury ever drawn in this county will be anticipated with such feverish eagerness. The fate of the gambling-den investigation depends a great deal upon the character of its members.

The beginning of this stir was last summer when a "social club" at Venice was raided. One of the gamblers declared boastfully that the game had not only been running under police protection at Venice, but they had also operated under protection in various places in Los Angeles. He named the streets and numbers where he had himself run games that the police knew of.

The more recent disclosures of The Times of games running all over town—running wide open—have set the matter in motion. They are "doing business" every day and night, and the police know it.

The trouble over the game running in the Germain building has brought it to a head.

POLICE "SEEN."

The general understanding is that City Prosecutor Fleming has obtained strong evidence tending to show that members of the police force have been "seen." The supposition is that he will personally present it to the grand jury and conduct that feature of the investigation.

The next grand jury will also have more of the Venice election scandal to hear from. It is probable, however, that no more testimony will be taken in these matters until after some of the trials of the men already indicted have taken place.

EAGER FOR SPEEDY TRIAL.

Prominent Clubman Confident He Can Quickly Clear Himself of Actor's Charges.

Walter Hoff Seeley, against whom a complaint charging embezzlement was sworn by Dick Ferris of the Auditorium Stock Company last Saturday, was arraigned before Justice Selph in township court yesterday. His bail was fixed at $1000 and he quickly secured the necessary bonds.

Seeley arrived from Goldfield early yesterday morning. He stated that he had read in The Times the report of the charges against him, and had started for here as soon as he could get his affairs in shape. He went to the offices of Jones & Weller, his attorneys, as soon as he arrived and a deputy sheriff was called in. The latter read the warrant to him and Seeley then went to court and secured release on bail pending preliminary examination next Wednesday.

"Mr. Seeley will be able to clear himself of these charges in very short order," said Maj. Jones, his attorney, yesterday. "We have a perfect defense and can prove that the amounts named in the complaint—about $1000—can be accounted for by legal transactions. Mr. Seeley's friends, and he has a host of them, have rallied to his support and we will go to trial at once. Mr. Seeley did not care to put the State to any trouble or expense; he made known his location and did not even require that an officer be sent to serve the papers."

BRIDEGROOM OF EIGHTY.

Retired Los Angeles Dentist, With a Grandson Here, Succumbs to Cupid's Wiles.

Dr. George W. Tolhurst, 80 years of age, and Mrs. Ada E. Mettler, who is 60, were married yesterday morning at 10:30 o'clock, by Rev. J. H. Mallows of the Plymouth Congregational Church. The ceremony was performed at the Ayres apartment hotel, No. 447½ South Grand avenue, in the presence of a small company of friends and relatives.

Dr. Tolhurst, who is a retired dentist, is the owner of the Ayres property. He has lived in Los Angeles many years, and has two sons and a grandson here. Mrs. Mettler came to Los Angeles from Jackson, Mich., about two years ago. With her sister she became the proprietress of the Ayres, where she met Dr. Tolhurst. Their friendship ripened into a more tender feeling, and yesterday they were made husband and wife.

TWO-BITS HIS AS DAMAGES.

Verdict for Old Plug Hat Is the Smallest Given in Local Courts.

Heber Coleman's old plug hat was worth just 25 cents, according to Justice Pierce's ruling yesterday, and though the former valued the "topper" at $8, he went away triumphant because the smallest verdict given in a Los Angeles court also carried costs against the defendant, Morris T. Berger, dyer and cleaner, West Seventh street.

"I wish I'd never seen the old hat," exclaimed the latter. "Coleman said he was going to be married and wanted the thing ironed in a hurry. My assistant told him it was worthless and ought to go into the ash barrel. Coleman said he must have it and promised to pay $1.50. He didn't come back for it at the time he agreed so, after a long period an actor came in and said he wanted an old plug hat, we offered him Coleman's at $1.50. He kicked hard at paying that price, but as he had to have one he finally gave in and we came out even. Then Coleman turned up and demanded his hat."

"I never said I was going to get married," testified Coleman. "It cost me $8 to get a new plug hat, when the old one was good enough for my purposes, and I think I should get that $8."

He went away with the verdict for 25 cents and looked happy.

Alexander S. Balla,
medical student, who announces he will fight for a fortune of eight million dollars left to the hospitals of Breslau by his grandmother's cousin.

CLAIMANT.

STUDENT SEEKS TO UPSET WILL.

SAYS HE IS ONE OF HEIRS TO VAST FORTUNE.

Young Austrian Chevalier Entered at College of Medicine of University of Southern California Fights for Share of Eight Million Dollars Left by Relative to Breslau.

Quietly pursuing his studies as a student of medicine here is a young Austrian, possible heir to $8,000,000, a commander and chevalier of a Portuguese order of nobility, and the relative of a famous general who took part in the conflicts between Germany and Austria which resulted in the former obtaining Breslau.

Alexander S. Balla is the name under which the chevalier is entered at the college of medicine, U.S.C. He rooms at No. 210 North Hill street.

"Gen. E. Frankel, my grandmother's cousin, has just died at Breslau," said he yesterday, "leaving his fortune of 40,000,000 marks, or $8,000,000, to the hospitals there. It is my intention to fight the will as I consider it most unjust that my grandmother, mother, myself and brother should be overlooked in the distribution of the estate.

"My grandmother, Babette Frankel, is still alive. She is 85 years old, and Gen. Frankel was her cousin. He was an Austrian, but he stayed in Breslau after it was captured by the Germans. He was born there, he lived there all his life, he fought against German occupation, and he died there, and in dying he left everything to the city, which is most unfair to us, his four heirs. The sole relatives are my grandmother, mother, brother and myself, and we should share in the estate with Breslau.

"The estate consists of land, houses and money. Gen. Frankel loaned large sums to the city of Breslau and he left a huge sum in cash. The money lent to the city and expended principally in building hospitals and I suppose he felt it would be a nice thing to wipe out the debt by his legacy. But he forgot his relatives and we have resolved to contest the will."

"Do you think Gen. Frankel disinherited you because of any family squabble?" he was asked.

"My mother's family had no quarrel with him," was the reply.

Balla came to the United States two years ago from Vienna, where his mother and brother reside. He lived in San Francisco for a few months, but at the time of the earthquake and fire he came to Los Angeles.

"If I get my share of this fortune I shall remain in this beautiful Southern California," he remarked.

The titles which he holds were conferred on him by the late King Carlos of Portugal. "My family rendered political services to Portugal," said he, "and the King, who has just been assassinated, recognized these by honoring me."

PUBLIC SERVICE—OFFICIAL DOINGS.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

The Board of Public Works announced yesterday that a chairman of the board will not be elected until tomorrow.

Members of the City Council and of the Park Commission yesterday took a trip to Mount Hollywood and will advertise franchise for scenic railway.

Main-street people filed a petition to the City Council asking that nothing be done to disturb the railway service, and that the corportaion receive fair play.

Judge Monroe yesterday heard testimony in the suit of Mrs. Annie Wilson to compel her son, Albert S. Wilson, of Barstow, to contribute $75 monthly toward her support.

Justice Selph continued until Saturday morning the examination of Dr. F. C. S. Sanders, accused of forging Mrs. Alice Hudson's name to a draft on the London and Westminster Bank, London, England.

Final arguments of counsel in the J. M. Ybarra perjury case began in Judge Conrey's court yesterday afternoon and will be continued this morning.

Justice Summerfield heard evidence in the case of Codori & Barrett to collect $38 alleged due from D. J. Moody, a Pico Heights grocer, on a contract to take part in a voting scheme on a piano.

Betting on the races led Frank Carlson to the Police Court yesterday, charged with embezzling funds of the Los Angeles Examiner, for which he was assistant cashier.

R. M. Norton, an English millionaire bird-fancier, and a market man named Taylor, were fined in Police Court yesterday for selling pheasants.

Several hundred dollars was secured from supply houses yesterday by a young forger, name unknown, who is supposed to have safely got out of the city with his booty.

AT THE CITY HALL.

"JOCKEYING" AFTER TIME?

NO WORKS BOARD BUSINESS UNTIL TOMORROW.

Conference With Aequeduct Officials Yesterday—Park Commission and Council Inspect Mt. Hollywood. Main-street Residents Ask Fair Play for Railway.

Much curiosity was manifest around the City Hall yesterday concerning the place of Gen. Adna R. Chaffee on the Board of Public Works. Nothing was done to elucidate the situation, so far as the public is concerned, but it is likely clearing on the inside.

It is given out by the clerk of the board that Messrs. Edwards and Hubbard believe themselves disqualified for transacting legal business until they have organized and elected a chairman, and that this can only be done at the meetings on Monday or Friday, as all others are considered adjourned meetings. Some persons are uncharitable enough to believe that this is just "jockeying" for time, in order to feel the pulse of the public concerning the election or non-election of Gen. Chaffee as chairman of the board. The election will take place tomorrow afternoon.

All the members of the board, including J. A. Anderson, retired, and Gen. Chaffee, together with Chief Engineer Mulholland and Attorney Mathews, spent the entire forenoon in private conference in the inner office of the board. The chief subject of discussion was the work of the Los Angeles Aqueduct Commission, the purpose being to familiarize Gen. Chaffee with some of the details of the work. It was arranged before they parted that the general should be taken over the route of the conduit at the earliest convenient time. None of those who took part in the conference appeared at the City Hall in the afternoon.

VIEW MT. HOLLYWOOD.

CITY OFFICIALS WALK.

With the purpose of familiarizing themselves with the possibilities of a pleasure resort on Mount Hollywood, in Griffith Park, Park Commissioners Humphreys, Kern, Rushton and Walden, accompanied by Councilmen Pease, Dromgold, Yonkin and Wallace, Park Superintendent Morley, and a number of interested persons, yesterday went to Hollywood in a special car of the Los Angeles-Pacific Railway, and from there walked to the summit of the peak, excepting Pease and Wallace, who refused to tackle the mountain climb.

The immediate reason for making the trip is the desire of Paul de Longpré and other Hollywood men to secure the right for a scenic railway up the west slope of the peak, from Brush Cañon, just opposite from that is known as the Eddy franchise, up the east side of the peak.

Councilman Dromgold was enthusiastic upon his return, and declared that from the summit he beheld the most beautiful sight of his whole life. The ocean and all the beach cities were in full view on one hand, and the rolling hills and snow-covered mountain range on the other.

A franchise will be offered for sale, and it is probable that before long the top of the peak will be available as a sight-seeing point.

AFTER SWEETNESS.

ALL GOOD THINGS AT ONCE.

Having performed his duty in appointing Gen. Chaffee to the Board of Public Works, and having spent a day in receiving the congratulations of the people, Mayor Harper yesterday left for the North, to rest a few days at Corcoran, and to inspect his sugar-factory interests there. He will probably return on Saturday.

WANT FAIR PLAY.

FEAR RAILWAY TROUBLES.

The South Main Street Improvement Association yesterday filed a communication, addressed to the City Council, in which they refer to the announcement that the City Attorney had declared the franchise of the Los Angeles Railway forfeited on San Pedro street and South Park avenue.

They appeal to the Council that nothing be done to hamper the railway service, as it would work a great hardship upon residents of that section of the city. They declare that they "believe in fair play for corporations, as well as individuals," and pray that if the franchise is resold, it be sold to the Los Angeles Railway at a nominal figure.

GEORGIA STORM PLAYS HAVOC.

ATLANTA (Ga.) Feb. 12.—A loss approaching $250,000 was caused in this vicinity by the storm which swept across Central Georgia on Monday. The loss centers within fifty miles of this city, and is suffered chiefly by telegraph and telephone companies.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

WOMAN FAILS TO TESTIFY.

CASE INVOLVING PHYSICIAN IS DELAYED THEREFOR.

Mrs. Hudson Sends no Explanation of Her Absence from Court, but Is Expected to Appear Saturday to Tell What She Knows of Drafts Drawn by Others in Her Name.

Owing to the failure of Mrs. Alice Hudson, No. 939 Valencia street, to appear in Justice Selph's court yesterday afternoon to give testimony in the case against her former physician and business associate, Dr. F. C. S. Sanders, accused of forging her name, October 18, to a £25 draft on the London and Westminster Bank, London, Eng., the hearing was continued until Saturday morning. Mrs. Hudson is then expected to appear. She is under subpoena, but sent no explanation of her failure to turn up yesterday.

Dr. Sanders, who is a Southern Pacific Railroad physician, admits that he drew the draft, and says he also drew, in Mrs. Hudson's name, two others for £18 and £24, respectively, which were protested. Four other drafts for approximately the same amounts, also signed with Mrs. Hudson's name, were honored and paid by the bank.

He asserts that all these drafts were for money due him from Mrs. Hudson on a land deal, and that she specifically authorized him to sign her name, only asking him to draw in small sums the half of the amount of a draft on the London and Westminster Bank which she had. He received $483 in all on four drafts, which he drew in August, and says that as soon as he heard from the First National Bank of Los Angeles that payment of the later drafts had been refused, he at once returned to Los Angeles from Arizona, where he had been called on professional business.

ARGUMENTS BEGUN.

STATEMENT IS ATTACKED.

In testifying in defense of J. M. Ybarra, on trial in Judge Conrey's court for alleged perjury in the divorce suit of Mrs. Beatrice Arnaz against James Arnaz in January, 1907, E. V. Neary swore yesterday that he met Mrs. Arnaz on the street August 12, 1906, and with a friend accompanied her to her rooms, where they saw her drink whisky. This was the time when the prosecution says Ybarra and Monreal falsely swore that they had participated in a carouse in the woman's room.

James Arnaz swore he had followed the men to the room in the company of a private detective. This was developed on cross-examination, but Arnaz was not permitted to tell his story in full. Ybarra's attorneys say he entered Mrs. Arnaz's room thirty minutes after Neary, and found the latter trying to crawl down a fire escape.

Mrs. Arnaz was recalled, and denied these statements.

Final arguments began late yesterday afternoon, and were not finished when the trial was adjourned to this morning at 9:30 o'clock.

HIGGINS WILL CASE.

DEMURRERS ARGUED.

Demurrers were argued before Judge Rives in the Probate Court yesterday in the matter of the estate of Hiram Higgins, and the argument will be continued this morning. The demurrers were filed yesterday by Hunsaker & Britt, attorneys, for Mrs. Lillian C. Rand and her children, and by Russ Avery, attorney for J. W. Phelps, as executor and trustee of the last will and testament of the late Mr. Higgins, who died in June, 1906, in this city.

The case is an important one in probate proceedings. It is an action by Mrs. Emma C. Higgins, widow, and William R. Higgins, son of the late Hiram Higgins, to break his will, which was admitted to probate on July 3, 1906.

The defendants are Mrs. Lillian C. Rand, widow of the late Charles Wellington Rand and daughter of Hiram Higgins, her three children, Elbridge D. Rand, Charles W. Rand and Lillian Rand; also J. W. Phelps as executor and trustee of the will of Hiram Higgins, deceased, and Bessie Higgins.

Attorneys Gibson, Trask, Dunn and Crutcher and Charles L. Batcheler represent the plaintiffs in their petition for the revocation of probate of the will. Former Judge Gibson argued in opposition to the demurrers, which were presented by Attorneys Russ Avery and James S. Bennett, appearing for Hunsaker & Britt.

The demurrers are general in import and attack the amended complaint upon the ground that it does not separate the various causes of action and that as a whole it does not constitute a cause of action.

SUES FOR SUPPORT.

SONS SPAT, MOTHER SUFFERS.

Because of a long-standing quarrel between her sons, E. J. Wilson, a Long Beach butcher, and Albert S. Wilson, a Santa Fé engineer at Barstow, Mrs. Annie Wilson was brought into Judge Monroe's courtroom yesterday from the County Hospital on a stretcher to testify in her suit against Albert for an allowance of $75 a month. The old woman was so feeble that Judge Monroe said she ought not to have been subjected to the trip, nor was she called upon to give evidence.

Members of E. J. Wilson's family testified that for over a year and a half his mother had been cared for by him at his home, but he was obliged to send her to the County Hospital because his means gave out and her other son, alleged to be worth from $20,000 to $30,000, would not contribute to her support.

Judge Monroe continued the case until the son at Barstow can appear to testify personally. His attorney asserts that at the death of the father, Albert permitted his brother to take all the estate on condition it be used for the mother's support, but that the money was diverted to other purposes; such hard feeling arose between the brothers because of this, that they have met but twice in six years. Until a year and a half ago Mrs. Wilson remained with her son at Barstow, when her other son removed her to Long Beach. Albert Wilson refused to send money to his brother to assist in her support, but he is still willing to keep her at his Barstow home. He only recently secured a position with the Santa Fé, and has an invalid wife to support. A Santa Fé official testified yesterday that Wilson receives $135 monthly salary.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

NO DECEPTION. That Attorney A. J. Sherer did not intend to deceive A. L. Elliott in inducing him in December, 1906, to accept an order on the Empire Securities Company, creditor of C. L. McCombs, against whom Elliott had filed a lien, was the finding of fact returned yesterday by the jury in Elliott's $4500 damage suit against the lawyer, which has been on trial in Judge Bordwell's court. Elliott said he released his $813 lien in exchange for McCombs's order because of Sherer's deception. Judge Bordwell will hand down his decision based on the eight counts in the verdict tomorrow morning.

CASE DISMISSED. On motion of the District Attorney, Justice Summerfield yesterday dismissed the charge against G. H. Meier and P. J. O'Donnell, accused by C. C. Grider of stealing the race horse Arrowmaker. Grider testified that he was to pay $500 to Meier for his animal when it won a race, but had only paid $25 back training expenses. As he failed to establish ownership, the case was dropped.

ASK DAMAGES. Asking $9600 damages for injury done his building, Nos. 108-118 West Second street, by the gas explosion of last February, Thomas Higgins yesterday filed suit in the Superior Court against the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company, which was also made defendant in another suit for $1500, filed by Miss Bertha Pfeil, who says she was injured in the explosion.

PASSENGERS SUE. Miss Nellie Warren and Mrs. Addie Barnhart, passengers last October on a tourist car from Paducah, Kentucky, yesterday filed suits in the Superior Court against the Pullman Company for $2000 each, alleging that they were not given the berths they paid for and were injured in health by the consequent hardships of their journey to Los Angeles.

GIVES BAIL. F. L. Giegerich, accused of attending the attempted dog fight at Savoy, gave $100 bail in Justice Pierce's court yesterday, pending his appearance Saturday morning.

TRIAL CONTINUED. Judge Monroe yesterday continued until February 26 the suit of M. Robertson, as assignee for Dr. S. L. Kistler, to collect $520 fees alleged to be due from John G. Pfefferle for a Ceasarian operation performed on his wife last May. Experts will be called to testify to the value of the services rendered.

AT LARGE. No arrests were made yesterday afternoon, following the three indictments returned by the grand jury Tuesday, in connection with the Ocean Park illegal registration. It is said two of the men live at Ocean Park and one in Los Angeles. Bail was fixed at $3000 in each case.

IS PAROLED. Probation for two years was Judge Smith's sentence yesterday on S. W. McGuire, who last September embezzled $196 belonging to J. L. Patterson.

INCORPORATION. Articles of incorporation were filed with the County Clerk yesterday by the Rov N. Carr Company of Long Beach, capital stock $25,000.

MUST APPEAR. Judge James yesterday gave W. H. Satterlee seven days in which to produce his books for a deposition in the suit brought against him by the Monrovia Steam Laundry Company to recover $612, allegedly due for work done. Satterlee had been cited for contempt in failing to appear last November, but presented an affidavit that he had acted under legal advice.

SUIT OVER DEATH. The second jury trial of Y. Fujuse's $15,300 damage suit against the Los Angeles Railway Company for the death of his wife, Hideneo, alleged to have been killed August 5, last, at Central avenue and Fourth street, in a collision between a street car and the wagon in which she was riding, began yesterday afternoon in Judge Bordwell's court. The jury disagreed in the first trial some months ago in Judge James's court. Fujuse's two minor children are included as plaintiffs in the action.

ASKS PROBATION. A. S. McEldowney, whose application for probation, following his admission that he passed fraudulent checks, will be considered by Judge Wilbur tomorrow, is said to have a record of like offenses in northern cities. An investigation is being made by the District Attorney. McEldowney is visited in the County Jail by two women, to one of whom he is said to be engaged and whom he contemplates marrying should he be paroled.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

RACE TRACK RUIN'S ROAD.

ASSISTANT CASHIER OF LOCAL PAPER IS VICTIM.

His Salary Insufficient to Pay His Turf Losses, He's Accused of Embezzling His Employer's Funds. English Millionaire Bird-Fancier and Poultry Man Fined.

Love of the races and the excitement of the betting ring brought Frank Carlson, a handsome, rosy-cheeked lad to the Police Court yesterday, a charge of embezzlement having been filed against him by Manager Henry Lowenthal of the Los Angeles Examiner.

Carlson is 19 years old and a boy of exceptional brightness. Placed in a position where he daily handled a fair amount of money, and finding his scant salary not enough to pay his race-track losses, he took his employer's cash with which to tempt fortune anew, according to the complaint.

Carlson faced the court yesterday with bowed head. Around him sat the litter from the gutters of East First and San Pedro streets. The dirt and degradation of his surroundings seemed to strike terror to him and his woe became more apparent as his thoughts were directed to the little bungalow on Harvard boulevard where his sweet-faced mother is waiting the outcome of his trial.

Carlson has a mother of the kind that would make most boys work their fingernails off to do the right thing for her. Yesterday when the detectives called and she learned that her boy was to be arrested, she merely bowed her head. She did not reproach the lad, she simply kissed him good-by and started in to do what she could for him.

What makes the case more pitiable is that Carlson is his mother's sole support. The fatherless lad brought her to California from Chicago about six months ago. They had planned how they were going to make a little money and buy a tiny home. They rented the bungalow on Harvard boulevard and fitted it up with pretty things. Young Carlson had the best room in the house. The little mother wished it so for was he not the master there?

The pair were very happy when Carlson secured a position as assistant cashier for the Examiner. For the expert work he was required to do, and for the handling of the cash he received $15 a week.

All went well until the racing season opened. Then came the fall. The little savings from his salary went; the hope of a little bungalow faded. The track ruined him.

The boy answered the call of the turf, and now is in jail. His little mother, broken-hearted, but as brave as ever, is desperately fighting to save him from the State prison.

Wealthy Bird Man Fined.

R. M. Norton, an English millionaire, who is so fond of birds that he spends much of his time in collecting rare specimens, was in Justice Rose's Police Court yesterday on a charge of selling pheasants to a market man named Taylor.

Norton explained that he raised the birds, and cared for them as pets until Taylor, who was in the poultry business, asked for two or three to place in his show windows. Norton sold the birds with the understanding that they were for exhibit purposes. Taylor later disposed of them to a man who begged very hard for them, and the poultry dealer as well as the millionaire bird-fancier were arrested by Game Warden Morgan. Norton was fined $25, but sentence was suspended. Taylor was fined $25, and paid his fine.

Nobody Knows Him.

A dapper young man who never gives his name, who deals out checks in every direction, and obtains good money in change, is wanted in this city. A request for a John Doe warrant was filed yesterday in Police Court.

It is alleged that the young man has worked a smooth game from Portland to the south coast. He arrived in Los Angeles several days ago, and quickly learned where some of the downtown hardware companies dealt. He made out checks, signed the names of the managers of these companies, went around to the supply houses, and paid small bills, receiving money in change. He secured several hundred dollars, and is now supposed to have left the city.

BITTEN.

THE MERCHANTS NOW UNHAPPY.

ROPED INTO QUEER SCHEME TO INCREASE TRADE.

Pico Heights Retailers Testify in Suit Brought by Chicago Schemers to Catch Their Money, That Canvassers' Representations Were not Lived up to.

Another catch-the-merchant's-money advertising scheme, to which nearly every retail groceryman, butcher and small dealer in the Pico Heights district was foolish enough to lend a willing ear—and hard-earned cash—has resulted in Township Court proceedings. Yesterday Justice Summerfield began the trial of the test case of Codori & Barrett, a Chicago concern, against D. J. Moody, grocer, of No. 717 Pico street.

The outsiders sue to collect $38 alleged to be due on a contract which Moody signed last August to take part in a voting scheme engineered by them. As almost every retail dealer in the Pico Heights district signed a similar contract, which each one declares was obtained by false representation, all are closely watching the outcome of the trial, which will continue this morning. The litigation will be carried into the Superior Court, where an injunction has already been obtained forbidding the collection of the contracts in San Francisco, as is provided in them. A suit to have them declared void was filed in the Superior Court some time ago.

In August last two sharp solicitors approached Pico Heights tradesmen with the proposition that they take part in a voting scheme on a $400 piano, to be awarded to the lodge, school or church receiving the most votes from the merchants' customers, who were to be given coupons as an inducement to make purchases. The contract provided that the Chicago concern should insert advertisements in the daily papers, and supply posters, tickets and other printed matter, together with a piano of the best quality.

Merchant after merchant agreed to pay sums varying from $15 to $75. After the piano arrived the merchants compared notes, and came to the conclusion they had been swindled.

Witness after witness testified yesterday that the piano was a cheap affair, worth $70 at the most, and that the solicitors falsely represented to each merchant that he was to be the only man in his line of business to take part in the contest. The victims said they signed on that understanding. They also declared that the contest was a fizzle, because the promoters did not carry out their promises to advertise and boom it as agreed.

Unfortunately for the tradesmen, each contract expressly states that no representations are to be binding except those on the document itself. As these are strikingly out of proportion to those alleged to have been made by the enterprising solicitors, the outcome is problematical.

FILES AN ADMIRALTY SUIT.

Dwight E. Jackson, a marine engineer of this city, filed an admiralty suit in the United States District Court yesterday, against the ship Bernardo Reyes, to recover $1196 claimed to be due him as wages. The plaintiff asserts that the present owners of the vessel are not known to him, but that formerly George D. Brown of San Diego was chief owner. The libeled boat plies between San Diego and Mexican ports, and sails under the Mexican flag.

TIMELY REFLECTIONS.

Strength of the United States If Obliged to Engage in War.

LOS ANGELES, Feb. 12.—[To the Editor of The Times:] In all the "war talk" that has appeared in our newspapers, little, if anything, has been said of the ability of the United States to sustain a conflict with any other nation. On the contrary, some writers seem to prefer to belittle the strength of our army and navy in the eyes of the world powers, who, of themselves, find it a vital need to maintain large armies of uniformed soldiers for self-defense against each other.

These writers seem to forget that the great strength of our nation lies dormant in its citizens—who, while daily employed in peaceful occupations, stand ready at a moment's call from our government to take up arms in defense of home and "Old Glory" against any foe.

At the outbreak of our Civil War, our regular army numbered less than 30,000 men, but it was a nucleus around which nearly 3,000,000 citizen volunteers (on both sides of that conflict) were organized and drilled for battle.

Before the war had closed (1865) the number of men who had enlisted for service in the Federal army was close to 2,128,000 volunteers; of this number 1,643,000 were native-born Americans and nearly 485,000 were citizens of foreign birth.

The number of men who served in the Confederate ranks during the war was about 750,000, a larger proportion of them being of American birth.

Of this vast number of citizen soldiers—500,000 men—each side fighting for a principle which it then believed to be right—never came back to their homes.

When the war ended the Federal troops under arms numbered over 1,000,000 men, and the Confederate forces about 250,000. Both armies were then disbanded and the men at once returned to their homes and occupations.

The population of the United States at that time was about 32,000,000. Of this number, at least 5,000,000 were men able to bear arms. So, it is safe to say that, should war with any foreign nation be forced upon us now, with our population of over 80,000,000, we could, if necessary, put 5,000,000 men in the field, without seriously disturbing the present industrial condition of the country.

This nation's ability to train and equip 3,000,000 of citizen soldiers during the four years of the Civil War under the most unfavorable conditions then existing in the country is proof that, in our present prosperous state, we could easily do it with 5,000,000 men—if that number should eventually be needed for service. If such an event occurred then, that flame of patriotism which flashed through the North and South, when the clash of arms came, will be repeated, but with greater energy.

Then, the conflict was between men of the same blood—section against section—and often brother against brother. But now, the bonds of our Union are stronger than ever before, and we shall know "no North," "no South," should our country ever be attacked by any foreign foe. The martial spirit of those men has descended to their sons and grandsons of the present day, and throughout our nation, and they are now as ready to answer a call to the flag as were their fathers in that dreadful struggle.

When President Lincoln called for the second levy of 300,000 troops, the response was so hearty that it gave rise to that stirring battle song, "We Are Coming, Father Abraham, Three Hundred Thousand More." And so it will be again if ever such a call is made upon the American people.

The financial ability of the United States to sustain a war of long duration cannot be doubted. At the close of the last fiscal year this government had in its treasury a surplus of more than four hundred and fifty millions of dollars. The wealth of the nation may be conjectured when it is stated that last year the products of but one of our industries, the farm, reached the market value of $7,400,000,000. The largest part of this great sum, besides that from the other industries of the country, is still in the hands of our people, who, if our country became involved in war, would without hesitation aid the government to the limit of its financial needs.

The United States has consistently followed Washington's advice in his address to his Congress when resigning his office: "Beware of entangling alliances with foreign nations." While we, as a nation, are able to take care of ourselves, we would, naturally, wish to have the sympathy of other neutral powers, should trouble come to us. Americans know that in the people and government of Great Britain we have a firm friend, bound to us by the strongest of ties—that of blood and Christian civilization. England is our "mother country." The time will never again come when England and America will stand armed against each other.

When James Bryce, the English Ambassador to Washington, received his appointment, his friend, William T. Stead, the great English journalist, congratulated him upon the high honor conferred upon him, and in the letter he wrote: "If the United States and Japan become involved in war, tell the Americans that England would never fire a shot at them, not if there were fifty treaties in the way."

At Manila Bay, the admiral of the German fleet, without authority from his government, tried to induce the admiral of the English fleet to join in an attempt to prevent Commodore Dewey from attacking the Spanish fleet, as he was preparing to do. The bluff British sailor listened to his plans and replied: "No! If I have to take part in this war, it will be on the side of the Americans. Blood is thicker than water!"

Afterward, when Dewey was forming his ships into line of battle for the attack, he found the German warships placed in a position that interfered with his plans. He protested, but no attention being paid to it, he asked that an officer be sent to him, which was done. Dewey received the German officer, and repeated his request in "plain language," and added: "Tell your admiral if he wants war he can have it." The lieutenant reported and the German ships were moved.

That is the spirit in our navy today, from the highest officers to the "men behind the guns" and the brave fellows on duty below the decks. It is the spirit of John Paul Jones in the old Bonhomme Richard, when he left the ship, shattered by the British guns, with his wounded and surviving men, in open boats, and, boarding another ship, continued the battle to victory; of Lawrence, lying mortally wounded upon the deck of the Chesapeake in her fight with the British frigate Shannon, calling to his men: "Don't give up the ship;" of Farragut, who, with trumpet in hand, and lashed to the rigging of the Hartford, disregarded the warning of his pilot of "torpedoes in the channel," ran the Confederate batteries at Mobile Bay; of Hull, Decatur, Perry and all the great captains of the old American navy.

Admiral Evans, speaking of his fleet of battleships, said: "I know the ships and know the men." That statement satisfies us. The nation knows Admiral Evans.

The United States wants peace with all nations. We do not covet the territory of any of them. We proclaim that the American flag, having once been the protector of the people of our outlying possessions, shall always be their shield and defense in whatever changes in form of government may come to them.

We insist upon, and will maintain the right to regulate, our own domestic affairs, as this government has always done since its foundation, and just as all other nations are doing with theirs, without interference.

The destiny of this great republic, under the wise guidance of our Lord, "the King of Kings," is not for war and conquest, but rather for "peace and good will" to all nations who come to us in the spirit of justice and peace.

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Supervisor Patterson appears to have a walk-over for renomination than any of his associates. Rev. F. S. Thomas of the East Side is the only one mentioned so far as likely to run. The Republican nomination is regarded as a machine affair and he is certain to have a walk-over to win the nomination from the Republicans in the Republican convention.

Supervisor Wyman is building up a political machine of his own; it may be a valuable asset in case he gets the Republican nomination in Patterson's district. Wyman is one of the men behind the guns in the reorganized Liberal Alliance.

The Supervisors are nominated by the same convention that selects candidates for the State Legislature. The Regulars are coming to the front early in order that the candidates for Assembly may know whom to seek in preparing trading delegations. Generally the last to enter in the Supervisoral race is the first to go down and out.

THE WATCHMAN.

PUTS FORTUNE IN FINE HOME.

Easterner Buys Dwelling on Westchester Place for $75,000.

Seventy-five thousand dollars is the stated consideration paid for the handsome residence of John Howze, on the corner of Arlington avenue, West Twelfth street and Westchester Place. The buyer is William C. Montgomery, an eastern man, who has just arrived in Los Angeles and intends making this city his home. The property consists of a lot with 240 feet frontage on Westchester Place, and a depth of 150 feet on Twelfth street, improved with a two-story, ten-room residence of substantial design. The grounds are beautifully set out with ornamental trees and shrubs. The buyer is a brother of E. A. Montgomery, a Rhyolite millionaire.

MINES AND MINING.

STIMLER HAS GOOD SHOWINGS.

BABY CAMP NEAR SILVER PEAK IS ACTIVE.

Over Thirty Leases Are Working. Canadian Smelter Concern Invades Mexico — Skidoo Mill Delayed. Rawhide Camp Has Boom Trimmings—January Output.

Forest Swears, one of the well-known mining men of the Nevada fields, better known to his friends as "Dynamite," who has mined in Nome, South America, New Zealand and Australia and has been imprisoned in Siberia for prospecting without concession privileges, has just returned from a trip to the new camp of Stimler. The district is situated in Esmeralda county, eight miles south of Silver Peak and thirty miles west of Goldfield. Forty years ago the Silver Peak section produced many millions of dollars in silver and gold and the ruins of five stamp mills and other reduction works can still be seen as souvenirs of prosperous days which seem to be returning.

Swears believes that Stimler is one of the best camps in the State and points to the fact that the first excitement four months ago arose at a time when the country was in the most depressed financial condition of the past twenty years. In spite of that, between thirty and forty leases on the principal property are being actively developed by a force which aggregates nearly three hundred men.

The main quarts vein of the camp has been traced for a distance of 7500 feet and throughout that distance shows a width of from four to fourteen feet. Values vary on the surface from $40 to $500. Of these values two-thirds is usually in silver and one-third in gold. The Cottonwood Cañon Mines Company is the principal concern in the district and it is upon the company's property that the leasers are now working. The stock is controlled by George Vickers, of the Little Florence lease, of Goldfield and Harry Stimler, who discovered both Goldfield and the new camp which was named after him.

Leases are 100 feet on the vein and the full width of the claims and, as said before, over thirty of these parcels have already been allotted and are being energetically workd. One of the most valuable of these is the Irvine, which is developed by shaft to a depth of sixty-five feet and is now shipping ten tons of ore every week of a reported value of $150 per ton. The Stimler lease is said to show three feet of high-grade ore on the hanging wall of the vein and has also entered the shipping stage. The Nevada-Florence lease, in which Swears and Burton are interested, will commence shipping this week. A telegram to Swears from the superintendent reports the uncovering of four feet of good material, but assays have not yet been received.

The camp is, of course, somewhat isolated at the present time and it is necessary to haul all shipments a distance of seventeen miles northwest of Tonopah to Miller's Siding, where the ore is treated in the 100-stamp mill at that point.

At the Pittsburgh-Silver Peak mine sixty stamps of the new 100-stamp mill are now dropping with a capacity of approximately 200 tons a day. The remaining stamps will be put into commission just as soon as sufficient electric power has been delivered. A transmission line is now being completed and it is expected that the full capacity of the mill will be in use in a few weeks. Martin Effinger, formerly of Goldfield is in charge of development work. It is generally believed that the property is one of the most promising in the whole of Neveda and that it will make a great record when its plant is in full running order.

Canadian Invasion.

The Tyee Copper Company, operating a large smelting plant at Ladysmith, B. C., has recently sent a representative into Mexico and other southwestern territory, in an effort to purchase ores for its plant. The company's advisor has been in the City of Mexico for several days, and has now left for Guadalajara and the west coast. Particular attention will be paid to the seacoast districts with the idea that plenty of non-lead-bearing material can be purchased and shipped by boat to British Columbia at a low cost.

The Ladysmith smelter was erected about three years ago by James Breen and Herman Bellinger, the well-known smelting experts, for the treatment of ores from the Tyee and Britania mine, on Howe Sound. It was operated for a while as a customs plant by the builders, but its success was never very pronounced and the plant later passed into the hands of the mining company. James Breen is known as one of the foremost smelter men in the United States, and made a fortune out of the Le Roi plant at Northport, Wash., which was erected to treat the ores from the famous mine at Rossland, B. C. When the property passed to the English syndicate represented by the late Whittaker Wright, Breen refused to sell his interest in the smelter at the price accepted by other owners, and he was eventually bought out at a sum between $300,000 and $400,000. Herman Bellinger was for many years right-hand man for Augustus F. Heinze in charge of the Montana Ore Purchasing plant at Butte. He later took charge of the Heinze plant at Trail, B. C., and then went into partnership with Breen in the Ladysmith venture.

Skidoo Mill Delayed.

Owing to the fact that the water wheel ordered from San Francisco has not been delivered on time it is probable that the new ten-stamp mill of the Skidoo mines will not be in operation for several weeks yet. Information received yesterday by Matt Hoveck, former manager of the property, is to the effect that the machinery will leave San Francisco in the next ten days. Eight days after it has been received at the mill the plant should be in full running order. The ore bins have already been filled, and the new pipe line from the summit of the Panamints has already been completed, at a cost of over $250,000. The new mill has cost in the neighborhood of $50,000, so that the total cost of the surface improvements necessary before the plant could run has been well over $300,000. The mine is developed to a depth of 350 feet, and Hoveck is authority for the statement that the material so far exposed will average $27 per ton, of which $23 will be saved on the plates, and the balance in the cyaniding plant.

Rawhide Booming.

Walter Williams, one of Goldfield's prominent mining men, is a guest in the city from the Nevada fields. He has just returned from a trip of inspection to Rawhide and says that the new camp now has a population of nearly 3000. Last week sales of mines and town lots amounted to $110,000 and there are already three newspapers bidding for support and sending out the fame of the district to the world. In spite of the prevailing quiet times in all sections of the State, Rawhide is coming rapidly to the front and has all the usual features of a boom camp with backing behind it. Tonopah people constitute a great percentage of the present population and well-known operators of the pioneer camp are spending their money freely in securing promising prospects in the new.

January's Copper Production.

The estimated production of copper in January was 20,000,000 pounds in excess of the December production, but 18,000,000 pounds behind January of last year. The estimated figures for the production of the United States, Mexico and Canada are 65,900,000 pounds compared with 94,833,143 in January, 1907, and 91,256,400 in January, 1906. Arizona, Butte and the boundary district of Canada all increased production slightly as compared with December, the Arizona figures totaling 21,000,000 pounds, an increase of 1,500,000 pounds over December. The closing down of the Utah smelters seriously decreased the production from that State.

Movements of Mining Men.

John Donnellan, the pioneer broker of Goldfield, is in the city for a short visit. He says that Goldfield is rapidly recovering from the effect of recent troubles and predicts one of the greatest booms in the history of western mining within the present year.

T. E. Jefferson, manager of the Telkwa Mining Company, operated on the Telqua River, in the northern portion of British Columbia, has returned from a month's trip to Redlands and Arrowhead. He will spend a portion of the time between now and the opening of the northern district with relatives at Santa Ana.

Frank C. Logan, Democratic politician of the State of Washington, and a large property owner of Spokane, is a guest at the Hotel Maryland, Pasadena, accompanied by his wife and two daughters. He was one of the fortunate owners of the Le Roi mine, at Rossland, B. C., and is now heavily interested in the Sullivan mine and smelter at Marysville, B. C.

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Editorial Pen Points

The field is against Taft, it is true, but Taft has it pretty well fenced in by this time.

At this distance it appears that Senator Foraker's hold on Ohio has been pried loose.

The straight and narrow path is the one that is freest from thorns and old rusty nails.

If a mine is a hole in the ground owned by a liar, what is a hole in the ground that isn't a mine?

Dictator Franco is so scared that he probably can't again be induced to even dictate to a stenographer.

We all knew that the fleet could fight if necessary; but what we wanted to know was whether it could navigate.

Mr. Bryan is determined to have his place fixed in history as the only Democrat whom any Republican could defeat.

Gen. Stoessel's defense of Port Arthur was not near the hard fight that the defense of himself appears to have been.

We can't see that leap year amounts to much. There are fewer marriages lately than there have been for a long time.

In these modern times a man is not known so much by the company he keeps as by the company in which he holds stock.

Another thing against Knox as a candidate for the Presidency is that his name would make things too easy for the campaign poets.

Reports from the East are to the effect that the weather has started in to keep up the reputation of the groundhog as a prophet.

Ninety-eight students at Stanford who are cigarette smokers have been dropped for poor scholarship. No comment necessary.

The Straits of Magellan suggest the idea that they would have been more useful had they located themselves on the Isthmus of Panama.

Senator Knox recently went eight or nine hundred miles away from home to make a speech. But he wisely left his boom behind him.

We haven't much patience with the man who sighs to be a boy again. We know of no one who has as many real troubles as the average boy.

Uncle Joe Cannon will fall away behind the procession unless he shall soon get out on a speech-making tour with the other candidates.

Gen. Chaffee ought to be a good man on water problems, having spent so much time hunting water holes on the trail of the Apaches in Arizona.

Colleges are now doing everything possible to induce parents to enroll their boys as students. Among other things Greek is no longer to be taught.

Certainly there are a lot of men out of work because they can't help it, but there is still the usual number who are idle from sheer force of habit.

In Mexico it is said to be agreed among the people that the present Vice-President shall become President. It seems to be different in this country.

Jeff Davis says that no man can make $10,000,000 honestly. A truer saying would be that some men seem to be unable to make anything honestly.

All the trouble in Portugal appears to be made by the Republicans. In this country it is the Democrats who make the trouble—when they get a chance.

The real fun in the next Republican National Convention will start when George Ade appears as a Fairbanks delegate and the La Follette boom tries to make a noise.

The drawback to the kind of education that puts a man in the knowledge of seven different languages is that it never fits him for anything but a job as a teacher.

The so-called "hot air" man should not be too severely condemned. He is a thousand times more useful than the man who adopts the manners and habits of a clam.

Leslie M. Shaw will never do in politics. One day he makes a speech about the country being filled with soup houses and the next day a lot of big factories start up again.

You can imagine what Congress has come to be when you are informed that there are at least 180 members of that body whom the Speaker doesn't know and never heard of.

The woman who has declined to marry Henry Gassaway Davis because it would cause trouble in the family is different from some women who would insist on marrying for that purpose alone.

Sir Oliver Lodge says that the question of after life has been brought to a point where we are beginning to hear the pickaxes of our comrades on the other side. Trying to dig their way out, are they?

The Census Bureau announces that one-fourth of all immigrants that have landed in New York during the past year came from Hungary. But they didn't all fare as well as Count Lazslo, who married the Vanderbilt girl.

Though a man be poor let him not complain of his lot. How happy the Czar of Russia would be if he could drop into any fifteen-cent restaurant and eat anything that the waiter brought to him without first subjecting it to a chemical analysis.

BOSS RULE AND ITS DANGERS.

It is the privilege and the duty of every citizen to keep in view the conduct of the men whom the whole body of the people have put in office. Without such watchfulness officials may go wrong and if there is a combination among them there will be no effective check. How far should this supervision of the public over the acts of office-holders go? Far enough to keep in sight every important act of every official. That is as far as it can go.

But the important question is, When should the private citizen step in and attempt to guide or control the action of the office holder? Not until the latter is plainly neglecting his duty, administering the office in a way injurious to the public or unfair to some individual and his interests. We declare that inside these restrictions no citizen and no body of citizens has any right to interfere. We assert that any such improper interference is not only unjust to the office holder but detrimental to the public interest and dangerous to our institutions because subversive of their fundamental principles.

It is not proposed here to beat about the bush. There is a special instance in mind and a better one could not be selected to illustrate the general principle. The Mayor of this city is charged under his oath of office to appoint the members of the Board of Public Works. The Mayor is responsible to the people to put only fit men in that office. The Council is armed with power to check the Mayor if he undertakes to appoint an unfit person.

This seems to have been the Mayor's view of the matter. The term of a member of the board had expired. The Mayor's original purpose was to reappoint this person. But a man who seemed better was found before the appointment had been made. To say Gen. Chaffee is by experience and training a superior man for this place is no criticism of the honesty or good citizenship of any of us.

Now the point is reached. While the two men were being carefully considered and their relative merits for the place being carefully weighed, certain would-be bosses declared the appointment should go to the incumbent and that the claims of others should be ignored. These dictators went further. The Mayor was threatened with the "recall" and other pains and penalties unless he obeyed the impudent mandates of a few busy intermeddlers. The Mayor's own judgment was belittled, his motives were misrepresented, his conscience was set at naught and his oath of office forgotten. He was to be practically deposed from office and his legal functions usurped by the dictators.

There was exactly the case. Mr. Harper says that this attempt to usurp his power had much to do with the final decision. What wonder if it did? Had he suspended the operation of his own judgment and abdicated in favor of Tobe Earl and his little clique of would-be bosses, what would remain of him as a Mayor? How could he again pay any attention to his own judgment and decisions, to the voice of his conscience, to the obligation of his oath? He would become a puppet, a mere dummy in office, a figurehead, a slave. The Times heartily advised him, a week ago, to assert his rights—and he did so.

No one dares deny the eminent qualifications of Gen. Chaffee for the place. There are not a dozen men in the city who do not know that the Mayor could hardly have found in the city, in California, or in the United States, a man who could be induced to serve the people in this capacity better qualified than the distinguished gentleman now on the Board of Public Works. Where could one be found so well qualified?

It is always the right of the citizen to hold counsel with the office-holder if that person is disposed to give an audience. But it is an invasion upon the conscience of the man in office and a gross insult to the public whose votes elected the officer to have some obscure, self-appointed censor stand at the official elbow and tell the official how to vote, whom to appoint and what to say.

The "big stick" in the hand of the small boss with a little private club behind him is as ridiculous a development in American politics as the grossest opera bouffe ever put on the boards.

Never has a Mayor of the city received such loud and prolonged applause as has come to Mayor Harper as a result of his firmness in asserting his manhood, appointing Gen. Chaffee and turning down that frantic fraud and humiliated humbug, E. Tobias Earl, and his clique, with a hard thump—the hardest yet. "I do not propose to have that gang on my back," says the Mayor. Good! Good!

The people are tired of boss rule of any sort. The signs are in every sky. The day of the boss has passed.

THE BATTLE OF THE BODKIN.

From the front, from the fighting line of British womanhood, comes the news that a strong force of suffragettes has again stormed the House of Commons in London and has been repulsed once more, the casualties numbering fifty-four. These martyrs to a great cause are now "languishing" in jail. They could cease to languish if they would put up bail, but they want the crown of glory that comes through suffering for the great cause, and moreover they feel that while the fierce fire of female liberty burns within them "stone walls do not a prison make, nor iron bars a cage." In the fullness of time they will be released and once more will be able to join the ranks of the petticoated hosts in another brave attempt to capture St. Stephens.

And it may be that the time is not far distant when "Big Ben" will boom for a suffragette victory. Signs are not wanting that the Campbell-Bannerman government is getting tired of this tearful strife and is preparing to succumb as gracefully as possible. The other night Mr. Haldane, Secretary of State for War, addressed a meeting of the Women's Liberal Social Council in Glasgow and, somewhat timidly, held out an olive branch. He observed to the ladies present that the great argument, he thought the only real and tangible argument, which had been used against the grant of the vote to women was that there was a great gulf fixed by society, by laws, by nature and in every other way. That argument would be a very strong one, he remarked, but for the fact that the British and other nations were fast obliterating the gulf. The War Minister "jollied" the ladies along by stating that he did not merely refer to the fact that they smoked cigarettes just like men and wore "divided skirts" which were only one degree removed from trousers; he said those were idiosyncrasies of a certain set. He remarked, however, that it was undeniable that every year was seeing more and more of the avenues of life opened to women, and while there would always be the gulf set by nature between man and woman, it was not so wide but they might shake hands over it.

Having thus smoothed the feathers of his audience, Mr. Haldane pointed out that by storming Parliament and "rushing" Cabinet ministers the suffragettes were doing their cause more harm than good. "Nobody likes to be bullied, not even man," declared the War Minister, "and there is a feeling abroad that if he has not been bullied there has been at least an effort to henpeck him. After all, men don't like to have their meetings broken up and to suffer pin-pricks at every turn." If such tactics were continued Mr. Haldane thought the men would get into a sullen and resistant mood which might be bad for the cause the women had at heart. The women themselves said that they wanted to advertise their case. "That is all right," said Mr. Haldane, "you are quite at liberty to wage war, but my advice is, don't do it with bodkins; you will only irritate and provoke the men in that way. The cause of woman suffrage I believe to be one which in the end will be safe, but violence will not assist its progress."

From which it will be seen that the Campbell-Bannerman government is weakening. Violence is having its effect, despite the War Minister's statements, but fortunately there is the House of Lords to check ministerial folly. The second chamber will have a chance to redeem itself. Heaven knows it needs it.

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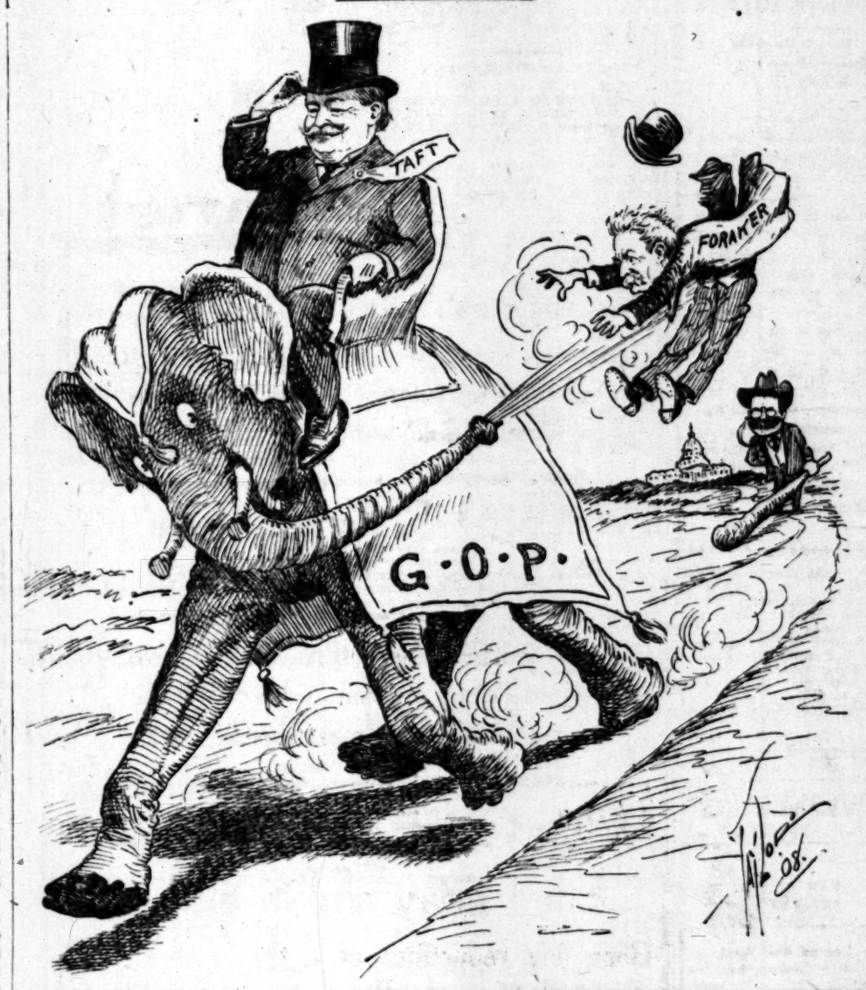

MARKET FOR CITY BONDS.

A southern member of Congress is quoted as saying that the laws under which national banks operate were passed for the purpose of making a market for United States bonds, and that the Aldrich bill now before Congress is for the purpose of creating a market for railroad and municipal bonds.

Without indorsing the proposition that these measures were devised for the purposes named, which is absurd, there is no doubt that their effect is as stated.

If this is so, when the Aldrich bill becomes a law there will be an increased demand for good municipal bonds. What bonds of this kind are better than those of Los Angeles? This being so, those who invest in aqueduct bonds seem to stand a good chance of holding securities which will go to a premium at no distant day. This is the latest case of very sap, sat.

NOMINATE BY WARDS, ELECT AT LARGE.

There is difference of opinion among those who are trying to frame a new charter for the city. One of the points of divergence is as to the way Councilmen should be elected. Some wish the present system of strictly ward representation to prevail. Opposed are others who would have all Councilmen nominated and elected at large, their argument being that the ward system puts the Council in the clutches of the "machine."

A compromise is offered by other members of the charter commission. Their plan is to elect a Councilman from each ward as at present, with five or more supplementary members of the body to be nominated and elected at large. There is merit in this suggestion. Each ward would be represented and yet there would be a balance wheel to check ward politics and ward clamor in the action of the councilmanic body.

The Times has a plan to propose which we believe has not occurred to those engaged in making a charter. Our plan is that each ward shall nominate a candidate for the Council from its own citizens, one representative of the body of citizens, in that ward, but the Councilman thus nominated shall be voted for by the whole city in all the wards. The value of this plan lies in that the wards are permitted to suggest men acceptable to themselves, but they must be elected by the vote of the whole city. This would place upon them a broader responsibility, somewhat eliminating narrow local interests not for the general good of the city out of the Council. It seems as if a better body of city legislators would be selected in this way. The wards would all be put on their mettle to name their best men, and each Councilman elected would feel that he owed a responsibility to the whole city. In case that a ward caucus made notoriously bad nominations the citizens could put up a good man on an independent ticket and appeal to the whole city to elect him.

As all observers know, the present system of electing by wards leads to log-rolling, ward-grabs, general extravagance and other evils. "If you will vote for an appropriation for my ward I will vote for something for your ward," one Councilman says to another. "You scratch my back and I will scratch yours." A Councilman, elected by the votes of a certain ward, is spurred to complaisance when a demand is made upon him by ward boomers, accompanied with the threat of "recall" unless the demand is granted. The present system gives a little bunch of ward boomers or politicians too much power.

It would be unwise to have all the Councilmen nominated at large by one general convention, as this would afford too good a chance to the bosses; but if Councilmen representing wards—and the wards should be represented—were indebted to the whole body of citizens for an election, their views would be broader and their independence of pressure from their own little bailiwicks would be greater than can be possible under the present charter.

The man who is everlastingly compelled to lick somebody because his wife has been insulted should call to her attention what Cervantes said: "The woman who is resolved to be respected can make herself so, even amidst an army of soldiers."

We have no means of knowing how things will shift by the time another million years roll around; but the way things are just now California is exactly in the middle of the world.

RETREAT FOR QUIET REFLECTION.

The churches set apart now and then a day for a retreat. On this day the members of a congregation are invited to retire to the church and spend a day of meditation and reflection. It is good for the body, mind and soul of the present generation, living in a whirlpool of excitement, sensation following sensation so quickly that the nerves are racked, thought made impossible, and the general health of the system broken down.

We invite the citizens of the United States to a retreat in a quiet day for reflection upon political matters. There is an assumption on the part of too many that corruption is general, greed absolutely universal, and that justice, right and the majesty of the law are becoming dead letters to all but the few who have set themselves about reforming the world.

There is absolutely no ground for any such injurious, unjust and dangerous assumption. If we would only get out of the reach of the noisy cry of the self-appointed reformer and could take a calm and general view of the business situation throughout the United States, we would find that good citizenship was never more prevalent than it is today, that there have been few times when good citizenship was so general. We would find patriotism quite as common and as strong in the breasts of the American people as at any previous time. As to the business men, we would see them in all the branches of industry and commerce, from the multi-millionaire to the little corner groceryman, all intent upon giving a dollar's worth of goods for the dollar. We are ambitious to make our way in the world, more so than other people, and because of this ambition the great progress of the past year has taken place in the United States. But as a general rule ambition is not greed and fortunes are but in very rare cases the result of fraud or wrong.

On Tuesday The Times culled a little bouquet of thought from a discourse delivered by Secretary Taft on the night before in Kansas City. There was high citizenship, pure patriotism, a sentiment of righteousness, running through that speech. The web and woof of the discourse were made up of such sentiments.

But that is what we all expected of Mr. Taft. Even the self-constituted reformers who cry out so frequently and loudly that the world is all on the toboggan slide and the United States going to perdition concede that the Secretary of War is all right. On the contrary, mention in their ears the name of Senator Philander Knox, and immediately their hands are raised in horror at the thought of "this unpatriotic servant of corporations."

Let us see about this. Senator Knox on Tuesday night, just twenty-four hours later than the appearance of the Secretary of War at Kansas City, at Kalamazoo, Mich., addressed a Republican club. Let us select a few extracts from this speech of Senator Knox:

"As the railroads sought the Federal power for their protection, so the people resorted to the same power for their own relief. It began gradually to dawn upon the American people that they were living substantially under railroad domination so far as their business interests were concerned."

"The first important act of the administration affecting this subject was its declaration that the plenary power of Congress over all kinds of transportation and its instrumentalities had not been exhausted by the Sherman anti-trust law nor by the interstate commerce act."

"Pursuing this policy the monopolies created by secret and preferential rates for railroad transportation were successfully attacked in suits in equity to enjoin the violation of the law against rebates and discriminations, thereby establishing for the first time the right of the Attorney-General to appear in a court of equity in behalf of large numbers of people and sections of the country affected by the violation of law."

"Unscrupulous men upon the one hand have intemperately condemned every forward step and upon the other hand men equally unscrupulous have endeavored to break down the credit and efficiency of the railroads, arrogating leadership in an economic development the scientific principles and practical details of which they altogether misunderstood."

"It is as much to the interest of security holders that favoritism in rates and the fiat quality in capitalization shall be prevented as it is to the interests of the public that railroad capital shall earn a fair return on actual and uninflated investment. Railroad revenues cannot attain their broadest and most stable dimensions when dwarfed and diverted by these abuses, nor can the wide increase of transportation facilities needed by growing commerce be secured unless it offers to the investment of actual capital an adequate and reasonably assured return. Legislation conceived and executed in the unchangeable resolution to maintain justice and honesty for and against all classes alike is beneficial for all alike and establishes the foundation for the widest and most permanent national prosperity."

Because Philander K. Knox had been for years in the employ of corporations engaged in business upon a large scale he has been held up to contumely before the people as a mere tool of corporations. It is queer that, had this been so, he should have been selected by the administration to be the head of the Department of Justice in the Federal government. As Attorney-General of the United States Mr. Knox rendered services of conspicuous ability and of great benefit to his country. It would be impossible to find any American citizen of any station in life, of any connection or non-connection with corporations, holding an office or being merely a private citizen, excepting none, to have enunciated fundamental principles more clearly and justly than those quoted above.

Mr. Knox seems to be in some respects very much like Mr. Root, the Secretary of State. Root also was a corporation lawyer, serving organizations engaged in the broadest way with the management of the most important industries in the country. But Knox and Root both performed their duties with conspicuous ability in their capacity as attorneys for corporations. But their detractors are challenged to point out a single instance in which their activities were dishonest or wrong. The fact of former employment by these corporations did not unfit Knox for the office of Attorney-General any more than it unfitted Root for the office of Secretary of State. The country has seldom had a man fill the place now occupied by Elihu Root with more ability or patriotism.

Here is where a day of quiet retreat and a sober reflection would correct a great many misapprehensions in the minds of all too many of us. The fact is the great majority of the people of the United States intend to be honest, just and fair and not only intend to be so but are so. The statements of Secretary Taft dovetail into those of Secretary Knox. If Mr. Root were to address a Republican club he would undoubtedly express himself in very much the same terms, certainly entirely to the same tenor.

Yes, and we can go out into the business world among the great managers of corporations engaged in business upon the broadest scale and find that of these men will recho every word uttered by Taft at Kansas City, by Mr. Knox at Kalamazoo by any of the other leading statesmen in the Republican party at any time or in any place. The managers of the great railroads are relieved because the rebate system has been destroyed. It grew up insensibly at a time when the practice was not felt and was not considered wrong. In fact, returns times past resulted in a marvelous way in developing the sparsely settled districts of country, building up industries where there had been none.

If we wish prosperity to return to this country and scatter its blessings broadcast, a thing dear to the heart of every patriot, a thing necessary to all, especially to the poor who have to live upon their daily earnings, it will be necessary for us to talk less and think more, to avoid demagogic policies and go back to constructive policies, to comprehend the great fact that the people generally mean to be honest and are honest, and thus to encourage industry rather than discourage it.

THE WIND IN THE NIGHT.

O did you hear the wind as it moaned, as it moaned—
O did ye hear the wind in the night?
Not a star was in the dark
That a mortal eye could mark
When arose the eerie strain
As of hapless souls in pain
On their flight—
O did ye hear the wind in the night?

O did ye hear the wind as it shrieked, as it shrieked—
O did ye hear the wind in the night?
I trembled in my dread,
Yea, I shuddered in my bed.
Stricken souls—where did they go?
Were they guilty? Was it woe?
Was it fright?
O did ye hear the wind in the night?

O did ye hear the wind as it wailed, as it wailed—
O did ye hear the wind in the night?
But silence came at last
To the sorrow in the blast,
For no torture lives for aye—
E'en the wicked find a day
Free from blight;
I know it by the wind in the night.
—[Samuel Minturn Peck, in Boston Transcript.

HOROSCOPE FOR

Thursday, February 13, 1908.

Now on the household good luck doth attend
And help a woman's busy hand will lend.

Mercury is in benefic aspect with the almost full old moon on the 44th day of the year. Mercury is farthest north of the Equator, and occults Neptune.

Sign writings or start on journeys in the morning.

Avoid dealings with those of the opposite sex, as there is the slightest chance for discord.

A good day to plan new studies for children in select schools.

Household affairs will prosper. Entertain, preserve, try new recipes of all kinds.

A good day for hiring maids.

A lucky day for stenographers, clerks, bookkeepers and shop attendants.

The woman whose birthdate this is will probably meet a soldier or an army surgeon during the twelvemonth, under unusual circumstances. A journey lies before her.

Changes in employment lie before the man whose birthdate this is. He is in danger of losing by attempting too much time and money in social pleasures.

The girl born today will be sensitive and intellectual. She may develop a taste for painting.

The boy born this day will be restless and unsettled and not prone to remain long in one place.

Consul Harris of Smyrna reports that the number of peasants emigrating from Asia Minor to the United States is so large that the Ottoman government, fearful lest the whole province be depopulated of able-bodied men, has refused permit to any to leave the country, except upon giving a guarantee that he will return, says the Protectionist of Mine fires in Cape Breton, Nova Scotia, have produced a coal shortage, and 26,000 tons of American coal have already been imported to relieve the situation.

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CUPID'S AGENT COLLAPSES.

Matrimonial Promoter Weeps When Former Employee and Chum Testifies Against Her.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Marian Grey, sophisticated, broke down in Judge Landis's courtroom when the government placed on the stand Miss Bess Miller, who had worked as stenographer for the defendant, when, as "Miss Leona De Boy," she ran a matrimonial agency in St. Joseph, Mich.

Miss Grey looked disconcerted when the government called Miss Miller's name. Then she broke down and wept when the girl took the stand.

"Where did they find her?" she exclaimed. "Bess was my chum for years. To think she would take the stand and lie against me so."

The judge and jury had no more than got "Miss Leona De Boy" firmly memorized when Roy O. Shipman, a letter carrier at Benton Harbor, identified the defendant as "Miss Iva Goodenough," a daughter of Mr. and Mrs. G. E. Goodenough of Benton Harbor. She afterward, he said, married Milo Piper, and divorced him. Then, said the witness, she assumed the name of Mrs. Jack Washburn.

The Finnish Diet was opened yesterday, when Gov.-Gen. Gerhard read an address of greeting from the throne. The session will be a momentous one for Finland, in so much as the attitude of Finland in the present controversy with the throne is to be defined.

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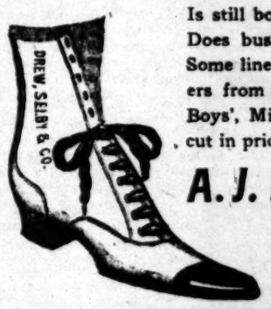

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TREASURY DEPARTMENT, Office of the Supervising Architect, Washington, D. C., February 6, 1908. SEALED PROPOSALS will be received at this office until 2 o'clock P.M. on the 17th day of March, 1908, and then opened, for the installation of a conduit and electric wiring system, for the U.S. Court House, Postoffice, etc., building at LOS ANGELES, CAL., in accordance with drawings and specifications, copies of which may be had at this office, or at the office of the Superintendent of Construction, Los Angeles, Cal., at the discretion of the Supervising Architect. JAMES KNOX TAYLOR, Supervising Architect.

EVENTS IN SOCIETY.

MRS. M. HOWARD of Redwood City, who has been a guest at the home of Mr. and and Mrs. A. H. Busch, No. 2715 Portland street, left recently for her home. During Mrs. Howard's stay she was the object of much social attention. Among some of the interesting functions was a box party at the Mason, given by Mr. and Mrs. W. D. Woolwine of No. 3601 Downey avenue.

Mrs. Ora Scott,
(above,) and Mrs. Edwin W. Sargent, who assisted last evening at a large dancing party.

Other guests included Mrs. Busch and Mrs. Elton Herrick. Mrs. Busch also entertained with several informal affairs, one of the most enjoyable being an auto trip to Riverside.

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Informal Bridge.

Mrs. Warren Carhart of No. 982 Vermont avenue will entertain eight girl friends Saturday afternoon with bridge. The affair, though very informal, promises to be most delightful.

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Luncheon Postponed.

The luncheon which was to have been given yesterday afternoon by Mrs. W. D. Woolwine of Downey avenue has been postponed indefinitely on account of her sudden illness.

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Afternoon Tea.

Mrs. Isaac Milbank of No. 2607 Wilshire boulevard will entertain this afternoon with a large tea. A delightful musical programme will be presented by Miss Edith Herron, Mr. Poulin and Theodore Best. Mrs. Milbank will be assisted by Miss Gwendolyn Overton, Miss Inez Clark, Miss Eva E. Keating, Miss Laura Solano and Mrs. Thomas Lee.

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Valentine Dancing Party.

The Ebell Clubhouse was the scene last evening of a merry gathering when members of the Treble Clef Club entertained with their annual Valentine ball. Mrs. Ora Scott was in charge of the decorations, which were artistic and elaborate. A large umbrella of pink and white sweet peas and tulle was erected in the reception-room, beneath which a number of young women in fluffy gowns served punch. The card room was decorated entirely in fancy baskets filled with pink roses and the auditorium was gay with Japanese cherry blossoms and potted plants. Arend's orchestra, which furnished the music for the affair, was stationed behind a bank of palms and greenery in front of which the club emblem, done in pink roses, was suspended. Mrs. Edwin Hart Cooper, the club president, was hostess, and her assistants were Mrs. Edwin W. Freeman, Mrs. E. W. Sargent, Mrs. Lillian W. Fruhling, Mrs. Ora Scott, Mrs. Martha Hunter, Mrs. Fred Hooker Jones, Mrs. Walter G. Eisenmeyer, Mrs. J. Hammer and Mrs. W. R. Matlock. Assisting in the card room and at the punch table were Miss Court Bigler, Miss Cooper, Miss Bess Nast, Miss Ethelyn Carson and Mrs. D. Stein.

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Valentine Whist.

Festoons of red hearts, Valentines for score cards and quantities of bright red flowers gave the Valentine motif to the charming whist party given by Mrs. J. Frank Bowen, yesterday afternoon at her residence, No. 4001 South Figueroa street. The invited guests were: Mmes. G. W. Randall, L. Randall, W. F. Allen, L. A. Stahl, G. M. Haley, H. F. Norcross, R. T. Perry, W. W. McLeod, C. B. Dickson, Wm. Brewster-Smith, Fannie Garland, D. A. Meekins, Willis M. Dixon, C. H. Borton, W. Y. Teetzel, Joe Parker, L. F. Huff, and the Misses Rosecrans, Lucille Dixon, Irene Parker, and Pearl Teetzel. Guests from other places were Mmes. Washburn and Waldron, and Miss Fan McLeod of Minneapolis, and Mmes. Lucie Mather Charles Ferry and Charles Ward of Pasadena.

WAR DAYS LIVED OVER.

Veterans of Ninety-second Illinois Volunteers Hold a Pleasant Reunion.

Fourteen veterans of the Ninety-second Illinois Mounted Volunteer Infantry met yesterday morning at No. 417 West Seventh street to enjoy a luncheon and to live over again the stirring scenes of '61-'65. Former members of the famous regiment now living in this vicinity have organized the Ninety-second Illinois Reunion Association of Southern California, and it was under the auspices of that body that the luncheon was held.

As guests of the association there were present all of the veterans of the regiment now visiting here, and also Luke Parsons, a veteran of the Sixth Kansas Cavalry and one of the survivors of John Brown's raid. One of the pleasant feature of the affair was the report, made by the secretary, to the effect that, as far as known, no member had died during the past year.

At the close of the luncheon, John Goddard was elected president, and J. H. Green was chosen secretary of the association for the coming year. Those who took part in the celebration were: Albert H. Colby, Co. F, No. 117 West Seventh street; D. W. Hasson, Co. F, Buena Park; John Goddard, Co. C, No. 1075 Summit avenue, Pasadena; C. W. Reynolds, Co. I, Grundy Center, Iowa; J. H. Green, Co. C, No. 296 Cypress avenue, Pasadena; E. D. Waterberry, Co. E, Sawtelle; Thomas Clark, Co. F, No. 2219 East Eighth street; S. E. Parsons, Co. B, No. 234 Bunker Hill avenue; H. H. Hunt, Co. B, Monrovia; John W. Thompson, Co. E, Soldiers' Home; James Cannes, Co. D, Pasadena; C. S. Eichholtz, Co. D, No. 735 Alvarado street; J. J. Lower, Co. A, Pasadena; J. L. Lacy, Co. B, No. 716 West Forty-fourth street.

REPRIEVED.

HIS EXECUTION IS POSTPONED.

SILVER WILL ESCAPE HANGING SET FOR TOMORROW.

Attorney for Slayer of Deputy Sheriff Smithson Secures Stay from Supreme Court Upon a Certificate of Probable Cause Containing Sensational Assertions About Trial.

A letter was received by Attorney John D. Pitts of Los Angeles yesterday from Warden John E. Hoyle of San Quentin prison, acknowledging the receipt of a certificate of probable cause and an order staying the execution of Edward Silver, the young colored man who was sentenced to be hanged tomorrow for the murder of Deputy Sheriff Smithson at Daggett, San Bernardino county, last autumn.

During the fight in which Smithson was killed Silver was wounded in the thigh, and was captured two days later by a posse in Cajon Pass. He was taken from San Bernardino to Riverside in an automobile to prevent his being lynched by a mob, and thence brought to Los Angeles. At his trial he pleaded guilty to a charge of murder and was sentenced to death.

Attorney Pitts was not employed in the case until after the defendant had been sentenced to death and carried to San Quentin for execution, and the message is official assurance that he has succeeded in suspending the execution.

It is this trial that Attorney Pitts attacks, on the grounds that the difficulty was a sudden street combat in the night time, unsought and unexpected by Silver, and does not constitute murder in the first degree, and also on the grounds that the defendant did not have a fair and impartial trial.

The motion to vacate the judgment is based upon sensational averments. It is charged by the defense that the court, some time before the arraignment of the defendant, told a local attorney that if he would be present at the arraignment of Silver he would be appointed to defend him, and he was appointed. Further, that the attorney objecter to any other attorney coming into the case, and threatened that if Charles S. Darden of Los Angeles had anything to do with it he would abandon the defense.

It is further alleged that the attorney appointed by the court had an understanding with the District Attorney that they would not bring out any of the facts leading up to the homicide, except those immediately pertaining to the shooting, and that defendant's rights were sacrificed by the agreement.

The motion sets up the fact that the defendant was denied the assistance and advice of an attorney, such as is contemplated and guaranteed by law; that the defendant was terrorized by the menace of lynch law, and pleaded guilty to avoid the danger of death by mobs in a jury trial; that he has not had a fair "and impartial trial," and was about to be deprived of his life and liberty without due process of law.

THIS SCHEME REALLY NOVEL.

Chamber of Commerce Has Plan to Facilitate Settlers' Choice of Locations.

A novel scheme for instructing incoming tourists in regard to the climatic conditions of this section was yesterday presented to the Chamber of Commerce for consideration. The Committee on Statistics reported favorably on a plan to purchase a number of copies of a book on climate, written by a physician, and place them in the observation cars of overland trains. It is suggested that the tourists could thus determine upon the location best adapted to their particular needs before arriving in the city.

The directors acted favorably on a suggestion made by a commercial organization of New York to the effect that the local Chamber pass resolutions indorsing a bill now before Congress which provides a pension increase to the widows and children of the members of the Yellow Fever Commission who died in Cuba while conducting experimental work.

Dr. J. H. Martindale, A. F. Borden and Angus R. Lindley were elected to membership.

FOR PERMANENT FLEET.

War Department Is to Be Asked to Keep Six Modern Battleships in These Waters.

In order that the War Department may fully appreciate the strong sentiment of the people of the entire Pacific Coast in favor of permanently maintaining a fleet of at least six modern battleships in these waters, various commercial bodies of Washington, Oregon and this State will be asked to pass resolutions to that effect and forward copies to the authorities at Washington.

A letter from the Commercial Club of Seattle was read before the directorate of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday, in which it was stated that resolutions passed by the local Chamber would have great influence as representing the sentiment of the people of one of the largest cities on the Coast. Th matter was referred to the Committee on Fortifications.

A communication from the General Fleet Committee was received asking that the rooms of the Chamber be used for holding a reception to Admiral Evans and his officers. The Chamber of Commerce Fleet Committee was instructed to take up the subject and make such arrangements as will be required.

BANKRUPTS ARE SCORED.

Their Action Is Classed as One of the Most Flagrant Cases of Fraud Perpetrated Here.

"This was one of the most flagrant cases of fraud ever perpetrated by bankrupts in this city, and the defendants should be punished by a long jail sentence." Thus said Attorney Craig, who represents the Board of Trade, at the examination of Jacob Desser and Louis Lifrand, formerly in the dry-goods business on Central avenue, for alleged contempt of court in not complying with the order of the referee in bankruptcy, which began before Judge Wellborn in the Federal Court, yesterday afternoon.

The two bankrupts are charged with concealing nearly $9000 worth of goods. Craig is willing that the case be decided on the testimony transcribed at the hearings before Referee in Bankruptcy Helm.

"I do not care to press technical objections," said he. "The reading of the decision of the referee and a portion of the transcript will show just what kind of men Desser and Lifrand are. This action does not bar criminal proceedings against the parties for concealing assets after going into bankruptcy. That is a felony, according to the national bankruptcy law."

Judge Wellborn continued the matter until Monday, when he will go thoroughly into the case.

LADIES AT UNION LEAGUE.

Fair Guests Entertained by Members With Dinner and Lecture on Paris.

The dinner given last evening by members of the Union League at their clubhouse, No. 327 West Second street, was quite the most successful affair of its kind yet given by the members. The attractiveness of the decorations and the harmonious arrangement of detail surpassed anything which mere man might be expected to accomplish. The ladies in whose honor the event was planned, were the prettiest of evening frocks. Following the dinner, Prof. B. R. Baumgardt entertained the guests with an illustrated lecture on Paris.

The committee in charge of arrangements and to whom the success of the evening was due includes Miles S. Gregory, L. C. Gates, Leonard Merrill, G. G. Johnson, W. A. Gray, E. B. Spencer, Robert N. Bulla, Owen McAleer, and W. W. Shrader, Jr. The receiving ladies were Mrs. Lester L. Robinson, Mrs. Henry Henderson, Mrs. Dana B. Weller, Mrs. L. C. Gates, Mrs. Frank Owen, Mrs. A. W. Kinney and Mrs. Sherman Pease.

RUSKIN ART CLUB.

The Ruskin Art Club held an interesting meeting yesterday under the leadership of Mrs. J. W. Hendrick, "Mezzotint," being the subject of the lesson. Mrs. W. L. Taylor was the first speaker, and she gave a clear exposition of the technique of the mezzotint engraving. Mrs Clough took up "The Mezzotint Engravers of the Seventeenth Century," and gave an entertaining account of their work, especially dealing with that of Ludwig von Siegen. Mmes. Morris Albee and W. H. Bradley talked on "The Mezzotint Engravers of the Eighteenth Century." Mrs. J. F. Kanst will entertain the Ruskin Art Club the last Thursday of this month at her home. These social affairs in connection with the regular club work have proven very delightful this season.

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THE GRIP EPIDEMIC

Disease Is of Short Duration and When Free from Complications Is Rarely Fatal.

Not since the grip epidemic of 1889-90 has the dreaded influenza been so prevalent as now. No age or station in life is exempt from it, nor can its attack be prevented with certainty. It is, however, more frequent in persons living in overcrowded and ill-ventilated homes and in low, damp surroundings.

The best authorities give no satisfactory treatment for the acute stage, but it is of short duration, usually running its course, in spite of medical treatment, in two or three days, at most, a week or ten days. Careful diet and a supporting or tonic treatment, with laxatives, if required, are the best aids to nature during the acute stage.

Danger During Convalescence.

For a disease of such limited duration, and one which, without complications, is rarely fatal, the grip leaves its victims more debilitated and less able to withstand other disorders than any other. One of our foremost medical writers, says: "It is astonishing the number of people who have been crippled in health for years after an attack." It is a common thing to hear people date various ailments of chronic ill-health from an attack of influenza.

The real danger from the grip is during convalescence, when the characteristic symptoms, the fever, the catarrh, the headache and the depression of spirits pass away. The grip leaves behind it weakened vital powers, thin blood, impaired digestion and over-sensitive nerves—a condition that makes the system an easy prey to pneumonia, bronchitis, rheumatism, nervous prostration and even consumption. Too much stress cannot be laid on the importance of strengthening the blood and nerves during convalescence.

The story told by scores of victims of the grip is substantially the same. One was tortured by terrible pains at the base of the skull that made life unendurable and that long defied the power of medicine; another was left tired, faint and in every way wretched from anaemia or scantiness of blood; another had horrible headaches, was nervous and couldn't sleep; another was left with weak lungs, difficulty in breathing and acute neuralgia. In every case relief was sought in vain until the great blood-builder and nerve tonic, Dr. Williams' Pink Pills, was used. This remedy is justly regarded as peculiarly adapted to build up stable health after a siege of grip. For quickness of action nothing is known that will approach it, but it is also without equal for thoroughness.

RHEUMATISM AND DYSPEPSIA.

Resulting from an Attack of Grip Cured by Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. A. E. Wilber of Bergen, Genesee county, N. Y., is an enthusiastic advocate of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for grip's after-effects. She says:

"I suffered for two years with the after-effects of the grip and was confined to bed for a greater part of one year. The grip left me with rheumatism in my legs from the knees down, and I could not walk without darting, fire-like pains. I had severe pains in my stomach and could not retain food. My legs and feet were so swollen that I couldn't find shoes to fit me and I couldn't stand the least pressure or weight on my limbs. I had a bad cough, palpitation of the heart and terrible sick headaches. I was sick so long that my husband had to give up his work to stay at home to care for me.

"I had been under the care of a doctor for a long time and was getting no help. I had tried electricity and massage with only temporary relief.

"One day my husband brought home some of Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and wanted me to try them. At first I was determined not to take them but consented after a while. They helped me so quickly that I was soon able to get up, and I gained rapidly in strength until I was able to do my work. It seemed like a miracle to all of my friends, who were surprised at my speedy recovery."

GRIP EVERY WINTER.

This Indiana Woman Found Relief in Dr. Williams' Pink Pills.

Mrs. Sarah Railsback of 106 South street, Richmond, Ind., says: "I had attacks of grip every winter for about ten years. It left me with no appetite. I was miserable all the time and could hardly drag myself around. I lost in weight and was terribly run down. I was chilly and cold and ached all over.

"I was under the care of our family doctor but got no relief until my niece persuaded me to try Dr. Williams' Pink Pills. It wasn't long before I had an appetite and could eat. I certainly got better soon and Dr. Williams' Pink Pills cured me. The aches and pains left me and I gained in weight. I take the pills every spring to build up my blood and tone my stomach. I always recommend Dr. Williams' Pink Pills to my friends and think they are a grand medicine."

LOST WEIGHT REGAINED.

Grip Left This Man with Brokendown Nerves and Weak Stomach.

Mr. G. W. Casto, the well-known confectioner of 821 North Water street, Decatur, Ill., is grateful to Dr. Williams' Pink Pills for driving the lingering effects of the grip from his system. He says:

"For six years I suffered with nervous debility, following an attack of the grip. I was left very weak and run down and felt all out of sorts. My nerves were peculiarly bad and any little trouble in my business upset me and I could not sleep nights. At times my stomach would gorge and become as hard as a stone, causing intense pains, my appetite was poor and my liver constantly troubled me. My weight decreased from 160 to 125 pounds.

"I took treatment with two doctors and each pronounced my trouble a nervous disorder but did not help me. I then tried Dr. Williams' Pink Pills and began to get better after using a few boxes. I gave them a thorough trial and was cured. I gained weight until I now weight 182 pounds and have been healthy ever since. The pills are a fine tonic and cured me after doctors had failed."

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Dr. Williams' Pink Pills increase the number of red corpuscles in the blood. This is a matter of easy proof by microscopic test. They therefore may be said to actually make new blood. They are the most direct cure known for anaemia and all similar conditions. They cure debility and most forms of weakness because they make it possible for the nourishment taken in the body to reach the parts that require it. They cure rheumatism, because rheumatism is caused by impure blood and when they replace the impure blood with pure, the disease is eradicated—not temporarily suppressed, but cured to stay cured. After-effects of grip, fevers and other wasting diseases are best treated with these blood-making pills because after these troubles the blood is thin, watery and impure, and the health will not be perfectly restored until the vital fluid is made pure and rich. The pills are guaranteed to be free from opiates or any harmful drug and cannot injure the most delicate system.

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ELOQUENT.

WIRE APPEAL TO THE JUDGE.

Imperialists Deplore Court Injunction.

Resolutions by El Centro's Commerce Chamber.

Legal Step's Result Called a Public Calamity.

EL CENTRO, Feb. 12.—The following resolutions were unanimously adopted by the Chamber of Commerce at a meeting last evening, and ordered telegraphed to Judge Wellborn:

Resolved, by the Chamber of Commerce of El Centro, Imperial county, assembled by the light of candles in a darkened house, wired for electric light, that this body, representing the citizenship of the county and the settlers of the district, respectfully brings to the attention of Judge Wellborn of the United States Circuit Court the immediate consequences following literal enforcement of his order of injunction issued to the company supplying water for the substantial needs of the people for domestic and irrigation purposes and such other lawful uses as water may be and is applied to.

The canal supplying water to the land of the Holton Power Company has been closed by order of the court, thereby extinguishes the lights of towns, stops work in all the factories in the valley, shuts down the ice-making plant requiring thirty-ton power, closes a large steam laundry stops the wheels in machine shops, out of forges and pumps, prevents refrigeration of meat supplied to people by butchers, threatens the loss of 200 tons of ice now on hand and deprives the people of that indispensable commodity, shuts off the domestic water supply of at least one entire town, checks industry of all kinds by depriving of light and power a factory twenty-five miles long by three miles wide, and containing a population of at least 15,000, and works irreparable injury to a thriving, industrious community without doing the slightest practical good to a single human being, which is possible inside of ninety days from the cost of light and power will be prohibitive.

Resolved, that we believe the court has not fully informed of conditions when it ought to dry up Salton Sea by injunction; that we are assured that if the inflow of it was stopped, the natural evaporation of the sea would not relieve to any material extent, but that an inflow from the overflow through New River, in addition to all canals and works of irrigation, as it exists and is sufficient to maintain Salton Sea as a permanent body of considerable area and is not contrary to any order of court; that, therefore, this injunction against wastage of water and power canals is not the true measure of relief to the Imperial Land Company, but is disastrous to the people of Imperial county and a public calamity.

Resolved, that we protest against being subjected to needless hardships, which may be placed in the hands of a private corporation for the coercement of another, and we respectfully, but emphatically insist on recognition of the public good as paramount to private interests, in law as well as in equity, and appeal to Judge Wellborn to take all the facts into consideration and relieve Imperial county of the effect of his order of injunction."

The Right Kind of Lawyer.

One of the ablest legal officers of the army is Paul Charlton, law officer of the insular bureau of the War Department. Mr. Charlton was practicing law in Omaha and came East when Secretary Taft invited him to do so and offered him the position he now holds. Immediately after assuming office an important question was presented to Mr. Charlton, and he sent from the bureau submitted for instructions how to proceed. Mr. Charlton answered the question briefly and in a few sentences gave the necessary instructions. Some time was sent back Mr. Charlton's decision with a suggestion that the officers wrote lengthy opinions as they thought he should do when Mr. Charlton went to the bureau.

"Was your question answered?" he was asked.

"Perfectly."

"Were the instructions explicit?"

"Indeed," was the response. "Quite plain, indeed."

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WHOLE TOWN TAKEN AWAY.

Sleeping Village in Coachella Valley Is Stolen by Tramps.

[SPECIAL DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.] IMPERIAL JUNCTION, Feb. 12.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A whole town in Coachella Valley has been stolen and carried away bodily, presumably by tramps. Recently Messrs. Ferguson and Gilliam of Thermal, capitalists of Los Angeles and Mr. Wilson of Bradyville decided to establish a new town in the valley at the base of a mountain near known as Coral Station. Sunday, a large party from Thermal, Coachella and Indio visited the townsite and here and there, with due ceremony, Gilliam erected a tent and moved in. This tent was of the town itself. Gilliam went to Indio and upon his return he discovered that the town had been stolen during his absence. Tent, lots, town map, everything had been carried away.

SAFE.

IMPERIAL SETTLERS' ENTRIES RESPECTED.

ACCORDING to information received yesterday by Edwin A. Meserve, counsel for a number of water companies in the Imperial Valley, the settlers have no cause for anxiety over the recent ruling of the Commissioner of the General Land Office in respect to assignments of desert land entries.

As the effect of the ruling appeared to be the invalidating of the titles to thousands of acres in the valley, much concern was felt.

Congressman Smith investigated the matter in behalf of the settlers and at once telegraphed to Attorney Meserve that the commissioner assured him that assignments taken before the ruling limiting each person to one assignment will stand, and that existing claims will be fully respected.

The communication just received by counsel for the water companies states that the whole case was presented to the commissioner, and that he said the matter of the new order preventing one from taking more than one assignment is under consideration.

The writer goes on to state: "I do not need to explain to you how these departments sometimes get their wires crossed, but that seems to be what the trouble was in this case.

"They said to me that the matter of a new order preventing one from taking more than one assignment was now under consideration by the principal law officers of the department, and seemed to be of the opinion that if they were advised that the law would permit it, they would issue instructions that hereafter, one would exhaust his desert right by taking a single assignment regardless of the size of the tract assigned, but I was given positive assurance that it will not be retroactive, and the claims in the Imperial Valley will be protected.

"At my suggestion, the Public Lands Committee has reported an amendment to the Desert Land Act, allowing one to assign a part of his desert entry; thus one having 320 acres could sell eighty or more acres and secure funds for the improvement of what he retains.

"If legislation is needed to hereafter permit one to receive two or more assignments not exceeding 220 acres in all, I think I would favor that also. I know of no reason why there should not be permitted free trading in these lands prior to patent, so long as the main object, the reclamation of the land, is kept in view."

LINCOLN-ROOSEVELT.

CHEER LUSTILY TAFT'S NAME.

BLANCHARD HALL AUDIENCE IS ENTHUSIASTIC FOR HIM.

Further Proof of the Choice of Los Angeles for President Given at Meeting in Which Lincoln-Roosevelt Organizers Open Their Local Campaign for Members.

Frequent references to Secretary Taft and his candidacy stirred rousing enthusiasm at last night's meeting of the Lincoln-Roosevelt Republican League at Blanchard Hall, the opening of its State campaign in Southern California. There was an audience of nearly 500, including many ladies, and the principal speakers were Chester Rowell, editor of the Fresno Republican, and State organizer for the league, and William M. Davis of Oakland, former Mayor of that city, now treasurer of the league.

Sidney A. Butler presided, making a short address, and among those on the stage with him and the speakers were Meyer Lissner, State Senator Charles W. Bell, former Judge Waldo M. York, Councilman A. J. Wallace, Marshall Stimson, R. D. Wade, M. T. Owens, F. S. Forbes, S. M. Haskell, J. J. Gosper and J. W. Kemp.

Mr. Rowell, who is a speaker of ability, told of the work that so far has been done in organizing the State for the league. While it is true, he said, that many obstacles have been encountered in San Francisco, hopes being raised time and again, and as often dashed, the work is nearly completed. In Sacramento, Fresno and Berkeley, he stated, the league is flourishing, while a good start has been made at Bakersfield, Stockton, Eureka, San José, Tulare and smaller places. Telegrams have been received from all parts of the State, he said, calling for organizers.

"Instead of pursuing the organization," he remarked, "it is as much as we can do to keep up with the momentum already attained.

"From San Francisco, where organization is proceeding in every district, we shall send to the next Legislature a delegation that will truly represent the people of that city, and that the people can respect."

The principal purposes, he said, are to elect, at the primaries on May 5, delegates to the Republican State convention, who will reflect its principles of the league; to secure the election of delegates to the National Republican Convention, who will stand firmly for a candidate committed to the policies of President Roosevelt.

"Fortunately," said the speaker, "we have a candidate in the person of William H. Taft upon whom we can concentrate our support, and there no longer is any doubt as to who the man may be."

As a third purpose, Mr. Rowell said the league will seek the election of members of the Legislature who will represent the majority of the people of each district.

"Republicans are all right," he said; "the Republican party is all right, but some of the Republican bosses are all wrong, and we propose to put them out. We must see that the Republican State Central Committee no longer is a self-perpetuating oligarchy."

Mr. Rowell referred to the good fortune of the nation in having as a candidate for President a man like Secretary Taft, who in the past ten years has been at the top in every big question that has arisen—if not at the top, then second only to Roosevelt. In every matter that has come before him, he said, Mr. Taft has proved his true worth.

"It is a supreme gift of Providence," he said, "that one man supremely equipped is, as President, to follow another supremely equipped."

Mr. Davis followed in an extended address, in which he urged a rallying under the banner of the league. He also paid high tribute to Secretary Taft.

Today Messrs. Rowell and Davis will go to Riverside, continuing their campaign through the State.

ALEXANDRIA'S SECOND.

Many Attend Concert Given in Celebration of Hotel's Opening Two Years Ago.

The management of Hotel Alexandria gave a concert last night in celebration of the second anniversary of the opening of the house. Invitations were placed in the key-boxes of the guests, during the day, and long before the hour for the concert the lobby and mezzanine floor were well filled. Many of the ladies wore handsome dinner gowns, and a number of the gentlemen were clad in conventional evening attire.

Souvenir programmes, daintily printed in green and gold, the first page bearing a reproduction of the splendid marble lobby of the hotel, were distributed. Manager Whitmore and his assistant, "Herr" Joseph Reich, received informally, late in the evening.

"The hotel has been uniformly prosperous," stated Mr. Whitmore. "We have every room taken at the present time, and the entire season has been a good one for us. Guests who spent a portion of last winter at the Alexandria have returned this season. We shall require more room before many months, if business keeps up as it has in the past. When we opened the hotel, two years ago, many members of the Elks' excursion from Salt Lake registered with us. I remember that every room was taken before midnight."

A number of well-known hotel men called during the evening to extend congratulations, and numerous expressions of good-will were received by mail and by telephone.

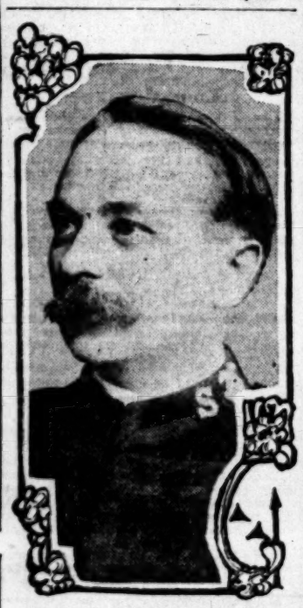
MAGNETIC SPEAKER COMING.

Col. Miles of the Salvation Army Will Deliver a Number of Addresses in This City.

Col. Charles Miles, a magnetic speaker connected with the Salvation Army in San Francisco, will arrive here on Saturday and will address a number of meetings, one of which is to be made a great popular demonstration.

On Saturday night he will speak in the Citadel, at First and San Pedro streets, and at the same place on Sunday morning. Sunday afternoon at 2:15 he will speak in Central Park, and at 3 o'clock a great meeting will be held in Monarch Rink on Hill street. Rev. E. P. Ryland, president of the Church Federation, will preside at this meeting and Col. Miles will be the chief speaker. On Monday night he will deliver an illustrated lecture in Monarch Rink, under the title: "Practical Philanthropy," which will be illustrated with 200 stereopticon views.

Maj. and Mrs. Alfred Harris of Denver, divisional officers for the Rocky Mountains, will conduct a special siege campaign at the Salvation Army Citadel this evening. Maj. and Mrs. Waite of this city will assist in the services.



Col. Charles Miles.

COLLEGE FESTIVITIES.

Students and faculty of the University of Southern California will give a Valentine party tomorrow evening in the "gym," which has been decorated for the affair.

This woman says that after months of suffering Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound made her as well as ever.

Maude E. Forgie, of Leesburg, Va., writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

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Polished brass extension curtain rods, 30 to 50 inches; made with fancy beaded ball ends, complete with brackets, 10c rods, today 5c each.

Stunning New Suits at $25.00

Latest spring models in Prince Chap suits, fitted or semi-fitted; made of superb quality Panama and serge, new colors, Copenhagen blue, brown, black and navy; variously trimmed with silk and self strapping; coat or flat collar; plaited skirts, finished with straps and folds; suits of merit and individuality; a very special value today at $25.00.

$6.50 Walking Skirts $4.98

New models in panama, brilliantine and fancy suitings; popular new colors; gored and plaited styles; trimmed with straps and folds; regular $6.50 values. Today at $4.98.

Women's $25 Coats $14.98

A big reduction on rich broadcloth, fine covert and melton coats; in fitted, semi-fitted and box coat styles; half and full satin lined; single or double breasted; nicely trimmed; $25.00 values at $14.98.

Spring Flowers

Values to 49c, Today 25c

The season's first big sale of flowers is scheduled for tomorrow. Flowers predominate in the trimming of the new spring hats, and this is an opportune time to buy. Beautiful silk, linen and mull flowers; crushed roses, 3 in a bunch; American Beauty roses with foliage and buds; velvet geraniums, silk violets, lilies of the valley, small cluster roses, roses with foliage in pastel shades; most all kinds of flowers and foliage, shades and styles included in this vast collection; regular value to 49c. Extra special Thursday, choice at 25c.

Sale of Flannelette Gowns

Women's Regular $1.50 Values 89c

A great saving today on women's warm flannelette gowns; made of fine material, and full cut; desirable colors, white, pink, blue and striped effects; high or low necks; lace or embroidery trimmed; garments, that are extra $1.50 value; very special today at 89c.

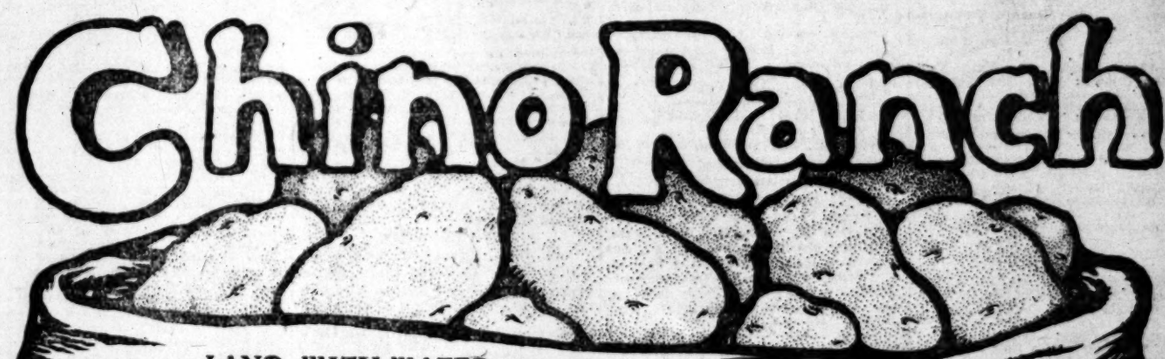
Children's 75c Gowns 45c

Flannelette gowns for misses and children; 1 to 14 years; made up in several different styles; in plain white, pink and striped flannelette; 75c gowns today at 45c.

Children's $2.50 Dresses $1.49

Remarkable value-giving in children's fine wool dresses; French and sailor styles; very desirable for the school room; variously trimmed with braid and fancy buttons. Sale at $1.49.

Chino Ranch



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If you can make your first payment and get a start on land at Chino, you are almost certain of making a success of it. Many ranchers are meeting their deferred payments out of the profits from their crops—besides making a good living.

Onions are a very profitable crop at Chino. Other successes are alfalfa, sugar beets, sweet potatoes, small fruits and berries, oranges, walnuts, apricots, peaches, Egyptian corn, melons, etc. Other lines in which Chino ranchers are prosperous are dairying and poultry raising.

Chino is only 32 miles from Los Angeles, near Pomona and Ontario—a few miles from each. The Chino Ranch lies in and about the town of Chino, which is a well settled community with excellent schools and the advantages of modern country life. The favorable location of the ranch ensures ranchers a ready market for their crops.

Don't buy land anywhere in Southern California until you investigate the Chino Ranch. Here is a safe proposition—free from "experiments" or "pioneering." Come into our office and get detailed information. See our fine exhibit of Chino products.

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

THRILLING.

AUTO AND CAR IN COLLISION.

SPECTACULAR ORANGE GROVE AVENUE CRASH.

Los Angeles Visitors to Pasadena Have Narrow Escape from Injury. High School Athletics — Acting President of Throop Goes East. Tennis Tournament at Raymond.

Office of The Times, No. 28 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Feb. 13.—Spectacular and thrilling was the collision between the express car of the Pacific Electric and the automobile owned by Mr. Orr of Pittsburgh, who is stopping at the Lankershim in Los Angeles. The crash came at 11:15 o'clock yesterday morning, at the crossing of Orange Grove and Fair Oaks avenues. By the impact the auto was turned almost completely around. That no one was killed is remarkable. Those in the machine were Mr. and Mrs. Orr, C. G. Chaffin, a local real estate dealer, and M. D. Berry of the Auto-Vehicle Company of Los Angeles, who was at the wheel. All escaped injury.

As the auto and street car approached each other, the chauffeur expected the track motor to stop at the crossing. He, therefore, kept on his way, and had only time to reverse his lever before the collision. The auto was towed back to Los Angeles. The express car was in charge of Conductor H. E. Swan and Motorman L. W. Schank.

HIGH SCHOOL ATHLETICS.

Preparations for the field meet of the High School on February 14 were completed today by the arrangement of the entries as follows: Discus throw, Clayton Card, '08; Rey Pyle, '08; Halsey Thompson, '10; Elliott Gibbs, '09. Dash, 440 yards—Paul Smith, '08; Eugene Kern, '08; Charles Rice, '08; Kenneth Rich, '09; Sidney Tyler, '09; Herman Siefert, '11. Broad jump—Clayton Carus, '08; George Twinting, '09; Elliott Gibbs, '09; Sidney Tyler, '09; Harold Ryerson, '09; George Loughrey, '10; Stanley Smith, '10. Run, 880 yards—Elmer Milsap, '08; Henry Colyer, '08; Charles Rice, '08; Kenneth Rich, '08; Herman Siefert, '11. High jump—Paul Wachob, '08; Herbert Lockwood, '08; Paul Smith, '08; John Staats, '09; Sidney Tyler, '09; Eugene Boynton, '11.

In the relay race between the two high classes, the team for '08 includes Paul Smith, Elmer Milsap, Eugene Kern, Charles Rice and John La Spada (substitute;) for '09, the men are Sidney Tyler, Kenneth Rich, John Staats, George Twinting and Elliott Gibbs (substitute.)

Low hurdles — Elliott Gibbs, '09; George Twining, '09; Harry Colyer, '08; Eugene Kern, '08; Charles Day, '08, and Eugene Boynton, '11.

Pole vaule—Clayton Carus, '08; Henry Colyer, '08; Eugene Boynton, '11.

Dash, 100 yards—John La Spada, '08; Eugene Boynton, '11; Horace Heaton, '10; Elliott Gibbs, '09; Hugh Anderson, '09; Cecil Hamilton, '08; Roy Plye, '08; Harold Ryerson, '09.

Mile run—Kenneth Rich, '09; Clifford Hole, '09; Charles Rice, '08; Herman Siefert, '11.

Shot put — Paul Wachob, '08; Roy Pyle, '08; Clayton Card, '08; Halsey Thompson, '10.

Dash, 220 yards—John La Spada, '08; Cecil Hamilton, '08; John Staats, '09; Horace Heaton, '10; George Loughrey, '09; Harold Ryerson, '09.

Officials are Charles Parsons, starter; judges of track events, Profs. Owen, Fall and Lewis; judges of field events, Boyd Comstock, Eugene Estoppey and Donald Ross.

Yesterday the High School baseball nine defeated the Raymond Hotel employés, by a score of 14 to 0.

RUMOR DENIED.

D. M. Linnard empathically denies that H. E. Fletcher or any other person except himself will manage the Hotel Virginia at Long Beach.

EDUCATOR GOES EAST.

Acting President Arthur H. Chamberlin goes East today to attend the national convention of school superintendents, to be held in Washington, D. C., February 25, 26 and 27. At the invitation of the National Superintendent of Education he will speak on the subject "Technical Education That Shall Train for Executive Experts and Industrial Leaders." This is one of the most important topics before the convention, and Throop is highly honored in the selection of its head to lead the discussion. En route to Washington, Prof. Chamberlain will deliver addresses at El Paso, New Orleans and Birmingham, Ala. While at the capital he will speak at the dinner of the alumni of his alma mater, Columbia, and will attend the executive meeting of the National Educational Association, of which he is treasurer and a member of the executive board. From Washington he will go to New York, and possibly to Boston, and will return to Throop to take up his duties some time in March. It is said, but the professor will not verify the rumor, that he has plans for the enlargement of Throop.

TENNIS AT THE RAYMOND.

As the result of the preliminaries played yesterday, the semi-finals in the Hotel Raymond tournament will begin today with Mrs. A. H. Speigle and Rockwell King matched against Miss Pentefract and G. B. Eddy. Miss Butler and J. W. Marshall will meet Mrs. A. W. Hogdon and Harold W. Wrenn. The finals will be played on Friday.

CONCERT AT HOTEL GREEN.

Bistolfi's "Multum in Parvo" orchestra gave a delightful concert at Hotel Green last night. The Romanesque room was filled with the guests. In this orchestra a guitar harp and a wind instrument with a sound like a clarinet and flute combined, and two guitars, furnish the melody.

AFTERNOON RECEPTION.

Mrs. John Willis Baer of Arroyo Terrace entertained yesterday with a large reception, complimentary to her sisters, Mrs. John Addison Cole, and Mrs. Frederick C. Van Dusen.

The reception hall was ornamented with quantities of Shasta daisies and smilax, and in the Louis XVI drawing-room, where the guests were received, rose-pink stock and narcissus were effectively arranged. In the music room yellow acacia was used, and in the adjoining den an orchestra was stationed which played during the reception hours.

Mrs. Baer wore a handsome costume of shell pink crepe with garniture of rose point; Mrs. Van Dusen's gown was oyster gray broadcloth with silver trimmings; Mrs. Cole wore violet gauze with lace accessories.

Mrs. J. M. Cole and Misses Cole and Stehman presided over the punch bowl, and in the dining-room Mmes. W. L. Green, R. T. Blow, George W. Stimson and James Swan officiated at the tea table. Here Maman Cochet roses, narcissus and maidenhair ferns were used in ornamentation and upon the buffet callas were banked.

Among the unbonneted women assisting were Mmes. James Malcom McLeod, Henry B. Stehman, DeWitt Talmage and E. P. Clapp, and Miss Cooper of Los Angeles. Two hundred guests were in attendance.

INFORMAL TEA.

Mrs. B. Marshall Wotkyns, Jr., was the hostess at an informal tea, yesterday afternoon, which was attended by fifty of the younger society matrons and maids. The house was decorated with daffodils and almond blossoms and in the dining-room narcissus and ferns suggested a color scheme which was carried out with yellow candles with pale yellow shades. Misses Wotkyns and McGilvray presided at the tea table and others assisting were Miss Leuppe of Washington, D. C., Miss Irene Tay of San Francisco, Mrs. B. M. Wotkyns, Mrs. Danforth, Miss Ruth Miller, Miss Lois Allen and Mrs. Volney Craig.

NEWS NOTES.

At the Hotel Maryland the Schultz art sale is attracting many, and treasures of art are going for a song. An ancient piece of Meisen ware, listed at $150, sold yesterday for $1.50, and a silk rug, valued and insured at $4000, went for $275. The sale of paintings by the old masters begins today.

Mr. Cohen of Los Angeles threatens to enjoin the city from making improvements on South Los Robles avenue because Street Superintendent Beyer is turning water through a flume into a small arroyo on his place, where it is claimed the drainage has always gone.

Attention of the members of the Grand Army of the Republic is called to the meeting which will take place, this evening, at Grand Army Hall on Colorado street. The commander invites all veterans to be present.

Horace M. Dobbins, who owns the "cycleway," reputed to be a valuable railway concession, will open an office in this city for transaction of business in connection with his road, at room No. 446, Chamber of Commerce building.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

Massage, Swedish movements, at residence. Miss Sigrid Ruth. Home 778.

Hotel Vista del Arroyo. Furnished bungalow (unexpectedly vacated.) with board.

Pictures framed at Wadsworth's.

Special sale leather novelties at Grace Nicholson's, 46 No. Los Robles.

See Coronado and be happy.

ELECTION FRAUD CASE.

More Arrests at Ocean Park Follow Indictments—Another Suit Against Bath-house Company.

OCEAN PARK, Feb. 12.—Following the latest grand jury indictments in the Ocean Park election fraud case, a deputy sheriff from Los Angeles came here today and arrested Prof. J. A. Brown, whose wife was formerly Blanche O'Brien. Bail was fixed at $2000 and Manager Hanna of the Kinney company went on his bond.

The other man arrested was Edward Shalley, formerly a bartender. These men represent the Venice end of the fight.

LATEST GAMBLING FAD.

In gambling circles the latest popular fad is the game of "pea-ball." It is played on a pocket pool table and those who follow it find it easy to lose or win many dollars in a very few minutes, the result depending upon the sum placed on "the corner." Stakes range from twenty-five cents to $5 and $10. Santa Monica's proposed new anti-gambling ordinance is aimed directly at this game, which seems not to be covered by any existing enactment. Much of the present play is in that part of Santa Monica which is erroneously regarded as being Ocean Park.

THAT BATHHOUSE MATTER.

Mrs. C. S. Hastings of No. 4336 Vermont avenue, Los Angeles, through Jones & Weller, her attorneys, has instituted suit against the Ocean Park Bath-house and Amusement Company. She asks that the corporation be enjoined from occupying a portion of the ocean front that was dedicated to sidewalk purposes. Mrs. Hastings, who owns considerable property on the ocean front in the vicinity of the bathhouse, complains that the front of that structure projects over the sidewalk for a distance of twenty feet and that it occupies another twenty feet back of the property line. Her deeds, like all of the others, contain clauses providing that no house shall be erected within twenty feet of the property line.

This suit involves the same property over which several other suits have recently been instituted. The Trustees were about to abandon to the bath-house corporation that portion of the street upon which the building stands, but refrained from doing so when the legal actions were begun. These are an outgrowth of the Venice-Ocean Park factional fight.

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COMPANY D ELECTION.

Pomona Infantrymen Choose First and Second Lieutenants—Retiring Trustee Complimented.

POMONA, Feb. 12.—An election was held at the armory last evening, to fill the vacancy in Co. D, N.G.C., caused by the resignation of First Lieut. Morris Ludden. Col. W. G. Schreiber of the Seventh Regiment presided, and Ralph Clark, who had been second lieutenant, received the honor, and former First Sergt. Homer Duffy was elected second lieutenant.

Co. D is in excellent condition, and is constantly growing. Weekly drills are held, and it is the proud claim of Capt. Midgley that any one of his non-commissioned officers is competent to handle the company. Quartermaster Sergt. N. C. Pedley, who is one of the oldest enlisted non-commissioned officers in the Seventh Regiment, in point of service, has the reputation of maintaining a model quartermaster's department. He has the equipment and impedimenta so systematized and arranged that the company can be fully equipped for service and on the street in fifteen minutes after "falling in." Sergt. Pedley has instituted an individual loose-leaf ledger book-keeping and record system, upon the perfecting of which he has spent much time.

RESOLUTION OF REGRET.

The Trustees yesterday passed a resolution regretting the resignation of Trustee Matthews, who has removed from the Third Ward, and referring to the ability with which he performed his duties during his tenure of office.

Miss Leona Warren, who made such a pronounced hit as soprano soloist in the Elks' recent production of "In Tabasco Land," will give a vocal and instrumental recital, assisted by Miss Theresa Cogswell, reader, at the Unitarian Church Thursday evening.

The South Side Child-study Circle gave a reception to the teachers of the Sixth-street school at the Tenth-street kindergarten this afternoon.

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CONSTERNATION.

DEFECTS IN PIER ARE STARTLING.

RESPONSIBILITY IS DISCLAIMED BY BUILDERS.

Long Beach Officials Will Undertake Repairs at Once That Structure May Be Safe When Battleships Arrive—Boys Rescued at Sea. Chamber of Commerce's Home.

LONG BEACH, Feb. 12.—The city will get no voluntary assistance from the Atlantic, Gulf and Pacific Company, which built the pier, in remedying its defects, which have developed to a startling degree. Superintendent Charles Corbaley, who was in charge of the construction work, was in consultation today with the Mayor, Council and Board of Public Works, and said that the company felt no obligations in the matter, as the specifications had been strictly adhered to, it was built under supervision of inspectors appointed by the city and the work had been accepted by the city.

The officials have little hope of being able to force the construction company to repair the pier, and it is probable they will avail themselves of the emergency clause in the charter and order the work done without advertising for bids. The plan proposed is to drive piles at points where there is weakness. This can be done at an expense of $4000 and will suffice until the city is in financial condition to put in a stone breakwater. The repairs will be undertaken at once to have the pier in readiness for the visit of the battleship fleet.

WATER RATES QUESTION.

Three years ago the Long Beach Water Company offered its plant to the city for $450,000. In the statement of last year's receipts, filed under the law in order to fix rates for the next year, the company places the value of its plant at $825,000, and shows an earning of 2½ per cent. on the investment. It wishes to deter the Council from lowering and equalizing present rates, concerning which there has been much complaint the past year. In caucus meetings of the Council with the water company's representatives it developed that the interest on the bonded indebtedness had been paid from the revenues, which lowered the real per cent. of earnings. The Council is devoting considerable time to this question of water and is said to have unearthed some interesting details concerning the plant.

BOYS IN PERIL.

Capt. Billy Graves, returning in his launch from San Pedro, this morning, found three boys in a leaky skiff a mile from shore, being buffeted about by the rising wind. They were exhausted with their efforts to keep the boat afloat and were helplessly awaiting the end, when Graves rescued them.

RUNAWAY'S STORY.

Running away from home when he was only 13 years old, Willie Shea, aged 17, was arrested last night, for vagrancy. He has, according to his story, tramped all over the United States. Impressed with the lad's appearance, Chief Williams asked Justice Brayton to hold him for fifteen days, which will give him time to communicate with the boy's father, Dr. H. H. Shea, a wealthy physician of Oklahoma City. The lad says he had a good home and a kind mother, but the wanderlust seized him one morning on his way to school and he has never seen or heard from his parents since.

CHAMBER HAS A HOME.

Through the generosity of Jotham Bixby, the Chamber of Commerce has secured the free use of large quarters in the Bixby block. The financial condition of the organization has heretofore made it impossible to maintain permanent rooms, and Mr. Bixby's offer has solved a vexatious problem. The quarters are arranged so that they can be used for various purposes, such as display of products and advertising literature and receptions.

A meeting of the board of directors of the Chautauqua has been called for February 26, when a rough outline of this year's assembly programme will be drafted.

WISCONSIN SOCIETY PICNIC.

The twelfth annual picnic of the Wisconsin Association of Southern California, held here today, was attended by about 500 people. After a basket dinner, a literary programme was given in the auditorium. Mayor Windham gave the address of welcome, and talks were made by Judge Dillon, J. D. Radford and others. Miss Ada Still sang the "Dells of Old Wisconsin," and a local quartette gave two numbers. The officers elected are C. E. Parish, president; C. A. Austin, vice-president; F. H. True, secretary; G. J. Webster, treasurer.

Park Superintendent Buchanan today found a purse, containing $42.75, on a bench in the park. It was later claimed by an agitated woman, whose escort rewarded the superintendent handsomely.

THIEF GETS WATCH.

The house of Capt. E. P. Napier at Tenth and Pine streets was entered by a sneak thief yesterday, and a gold watch and chain stolen.

In accordance with their annual custom, details of G.A.R. veterans visited the public schools today and made patriotic talks to the children about Abraham Lincoln. A fine portrait of the emancipator was presented to the Daisy-avenue school by Mrs. A. M. Dunn.

Auditor Moselle, who has been experting the books of the ostrich farm, says that the concern is solvent, and that the stockholders will be able to secure a satisfactory settlement.

"Hotel del Coronado," society center.

MEETS DEATH ON TRACK.

Motorcyclist Tries to Cross in Front of Street Car at Sawtelle—Leaves Family.

SAWTELLE, Feb. 12.—Alonzo S. Nevius, while riding a motorcycle, attempted to cross the Los Angeles-Pacific tracks, this evening, in front of a car, and was killed.

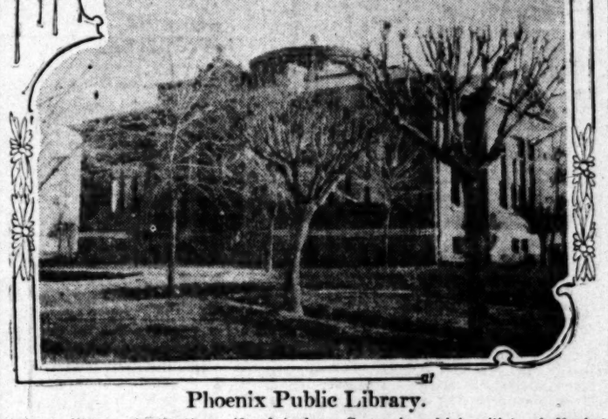
Nevius was an employé in the Los Angeles-Pacific shops and lived at Sherman. He was married. The body was taken to a morgue in Sawtelle, where an inquest will be held tomorrow.

Coronado most popular of all resorts.

Wheat Straw Is Now Extensively Used

in the manufacture of paper for butchers and all the leading shops are using it in preference to paper made from scraps and old rags. It is claimed that the juices of meats and fish saturate the paper, and should it contain impurities, the meat might be affected. Butcher shops that don't use pure straw paper should be called to account by the housewife.

NEW LAMP OF LEARNING IN GREAT SOUTHWEST.



Phoenix Public Library.

Arizona literary institution, gift of Andrew Carnegie, which will be dedicated today.

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Feb. 12.—There will be formally dedicated in this city tomorrow night a public library, which had been under construction since May, 1906. The construction cost about $25,000, came from Andrew Carnegie, the city Council agreeing to appropriate at lease $25,000 annually toward maintenance. The building ha sfrontage of eighty-four feet on West Washington street. The structure is of brick, with foundation and trimmings of red Flagstaff sandstone. The location, is a handsome one, in the center of the Neahr's Addition Park, although it has the disadvantage of being decidedly remote from the business center of the city. Architects were Millard & Creighton of Phoenix, and the contractor was T. L. Edens. In charge is a City Library Board, consisting of H. C. Yaeger, president, Andrew Downing, secretary, William C. Foter, J. W. Crenshaw and S. Oberfelder. Mrs. N. A. Morford is librarian, assisted by Miss Beryl Taylor. Within, the building has been equipped with modern book stacks, capable of holding about 15,000 volumes. At present on hand are about 7000 books. Especial attention is being paid to the literature and history of the Southwest.

CONSERVATIVES COMPLAIN.

Some Santa Monicans Wonder When Bond Issues Will End—Bids Asked for Pier.

SANTA MONICA, Feb. 12.—Another special election is in prospect for the municipality. The City Council's committee of the whole has recommended the issuance of bonds for $51,000 to be used in municipal improvements. Although there are no large water mains and none that is strong enough to withstand any considerable pressure, four-fifths of the entire sum is for fire-fighting apparatus and engine houses, including a steamer. Eighteen thousand dollars is asked for fire engine houses and sites, although bonds were voted last year and two such houses were erected. An item of $8000 is for a fire-alarm system, although nearly every bond issue voted during recent years has carried an appropriation for the same purpose. A City Jail is asked at a cost of $5000; a vault for the City Hall at an outlay of $2800, and heating apparatus for the same building at an expense of $2000. In addition to this, the Board of Education is calling for bonds in the sum of $50,000 to replace the Washington school, which was recently burned and was insured to within a few hundred dollars of its full valuation.

Conservative people are asking: "Where is it all going to end?" They are citing the fact that taxes are entirely out of proportion, compared with those of other cities, and in spite regardless of hard times, the army of unemployed and the increasing expense of the necessaries of life.

BIDS WANTED.

The City Clerk is advertising for bids for the construction of the pier at the foot of Colorado avenue, to be used for carrying the outfall pipe of the sewer. The pier, which is to have a length of 1600 feet, is to be built of reinforced concrete piling and will cost approximately $100,000. Bids are returnable March 2. Bids for a $10,000 garbage incinerator are to be opened February 17, and tenders for the construction of a septic tank, to be located near the foot of Colorado avenue, are to be solicited.

FORMER WAITER'S CAREER.

It is stated, after further investigation, that the forgery of Arthur Gordon was not his first offense. Four times during recent weeks, it is alleged, has he secured money on checks drawn in his own favor, and to which the name of Mrs. Abbot Robinson, a relative of his young wife, had been attached. Although Mrs. Robinson lost $370 through these transactions, she refused to complain, and the youthful husband was not arrested until the bank cashier swore to the complaint. The last check drawn, and the one for whose issuance Gordon is held was supposed to cover the entire balance at the bank in the name of Mrs. Robinson.

The marriage of Gordon at Venice, where he was a waiter at a restaurant, created a sensation a year ago, as the bride, Miss Avis Warner, a handsome girl, was related to some of Santa Monica's best families. Since the knowledge of the forgery has become public, the wife has refused to have anything to do with her husband.

PERHAPS FATALLY HURT.

M. S. Falls, who lives on Nineteenth street, near Oregon avenue, was seriously if not fatally injured this afternoon, when he was struck by a Los Angeles-Pacific car. He had escorted his daughter to the car, and, after assisting her to board it, walked behind it and stepped in front of a car that was rapidly approaching from the opposite direction. He sustained a fracture of the skull, and was severely cut and bruised.

BRISTOL CAFE CLOSED.

The Bristol Café on the Hollister-avenue pier is dark tonight, having been closed by attachment during the day. Schnender & Fieber of Los Angeles are the plaintiffs in an action brought to collect the sum of $10,000, alleged to be due from Usher & Munster, in whose names the business has been conducted during recent months. Usher could not be found tonight.

This pier, formerly known as the White Star pier, has once before run the gauntlet of the courts. On that occasion it was sold at Sheriff's sale to W. Z. McDonald, who represented a syndicate that spent $200,000 last season in the reconstruction of the affair and the establishment of a café, which was conducted during the summer by Schneider & Fieber, who disposed of their leasehold to the firm that is now under attachment.

Large crowds at Hotel del Coronado.

CAMPAIGN BEGINS EARLY.

Candidates for Monrovia Offices in the Field—Fruit Exchange Pays Growers.

MONROVIA, Feb. 12.—Though the election of city officials to succeed those whose terms expire in April is nearly two months distant, the camp fires of rival candidates are brightly burning. Trustees C. F. Moore and M. R. Williams, Treasurer K. E. Lawrence, Clerk L. E. Hotchkiss and Marshal J. F. Miller are in the field. It is semi-authoritatively stated that aspirants to the treasurership include Charles S. Squires, Joseph Combs and H. E. Crandall, the last named a director of the American National Bank.

Apparently there is no opposition to the reëlection of Marshal Miller, who has served four years, and has proved a most efficient officer, but there is strife over the City Clerkship. One of the strongest candidates is Charles J. Dash, secretary of the Boyd Lumber Company. The incumbent, L. E. Hotchkiss, also has a large following, as has also Charles Stewart.

GOLD FOR ORANGES.

The Duarte-Monrovia Fruit Exchange declared today a "first dividend" on January orange shipments of 1 cent a pound for fancy and choice grades and ½ cent a pound for standard. Disbursements to growers amount to $13,000, making $15,000 since shipping began in December. The amount thus far paid exchange members is only a partial return, since supplementary and final dividends are yet to be declared. Shipping, except for weather interruptions, has progressed steadily since the opening of the season, and about 33 per cent. of the navel crop has been marketed. Fruit is in perfect condition, and the proportion of late shipments promises to be large. A noticeable feature, indicative of changed commercial conditions througnout the country, as compared with last season, is the supply of cars.

PERSONAL.

Mrs. Patrick Davies entertained the Altar Society of the Church of the Immaculate Conception at her home on West White Oak avenue this afternoon.

Lewis Bradbury, accompanied by his sister, Miss Louise Bradbury, and Miss Winston, returned yesterday from Mexico.

Mrs. W. M. Blackington of this city was married at Long Beach this evening to Horace D. Ranger.

Your money's worth at Coronado.

CURIOUS TAIL LORE.

Tails of Animals Testify to Their Feelings—Difference in the Tails of Whales and Fishes.

[C. William Beebe in the Outing Magazine:] A cat never actually wags its tail. Why should it when it can purr? But, nevertheless, it seems to serve the same purpose in permitting a temporary expenditure of excess nervous energy when the animal is under great strain. For instance, when carefully stalking a bird or a man, as in the case of a kitten or a lion, the tip of the tail is never still for a moment—ever curling and uncurling. We may compare this to the nervous tapping of the foot or fingers in a man. When an angry lion is roaring his loudest, his tail will frequently lash from side to side, giving rise among the ancients to the belief that he scourged his body with a hook or thorn which grew from the end of his tail.

When a jaguar walks along a slender bough, or a house cat perambulates the top of a board fence, we perceive another important function of the tail—that of an aid in balancing. As a tight-rope performer sways his pole, so the feline shifts its tail to preserve the center of gravity.

The tail of a sheep seems to be of little use to its owner, although in the breed which is found in Asia Minor and on the tabielands of Tartary, this organ functions as a storehouse of fat, and sometimes reaches a weight of fifty pounds. When viewed from behind, the animal seems all tail, and when this appendage reaches its full size it is either fastened between two sticks which drag on the grounds, or it is suspended on two small wheels.

In whales we have an entirely different state of affairs than with fishes, the tail being set transversely instead of vertically. The reason for this is concealed in long ages of evolution. Fishes have always been as they are now, aquatic, but the ancestors of whales and dolphins lived on dry land where they crawled about on four good feet. When, for some reason, these creatures of old took to the water, they probably did not plunge at once into the open ocean where their descendants now live, but waded and paddled along in the shallows and marshes of the shore. Here a vertical tail would certainly be in the way, while a horizontal one might be used advantageously. We must not forget also that whales breathe air as we do and that it is more necessary for them to shoot quickly up from the dark ocean depths to the surface, than to turn fish-like, from side to side.

The sting ray and certain other fishes have a sharp poisonous spine in the tail with which they can inflict a severe wound, but in the case of the alligator, it is by sheer bruce force that the tail is useful for defense. The muscles of this organ are like springs of steel. The great saurian lies asleep in the sun, seeming more dead than alive, but if a half-dozen men should seize its tail with all their strength, with one terrible flick the alligator could scatter them, breaking legs and arms as if they were straws, and hurling the men far to each side.

In Mexico I once grasped a three-foot iguana by the tail, and I had my strength tested to the utmost to hold on for a single minute. Then, without warning, the great lizard went one way and I the other; his tail had parted company in the middle, and I had nine inches of it left in my hand. Instead of being fatal to these iguanas, such an occurrence is not infrequent, and is of the utmost value to them in saving their lives.

When alarmed, their first act is to dive for their holes, but when an eagle is making the attack, the swiftness of its flight sometimes intercepts the lizard, and the bird of prey seizes the iguana. After a brief struggle, the eagle flies away with the scaly, bony tail-tip which must afford but slight gustatory satisfaction, while the iguana seeks the deepest part of its burrow. The short muscles soon close the wound, and in a surprisingly short time a new tail shoots forth and grows to a goodly length, ready if need be to be sacrificed in turn. Sometimes two tails grow out from the old tail-stump—surely a superfluity of blessings. A weak spot in each tail bone is the cause of the breaking. Thus we see that the tail of the iguana is indeed an interesting one.

MAGNETIC DISTURBER.

Another Bad Result Discovered of the Fleet's Cruise to the Pacific.

The cruise of the battleship fleet along the west coast of South America may interfere with the plans of the yacht Galilee, which, under a grant of the Carnegie Institution of this city, is making a magnetic survey of the Pacific Ocean. The Galilee is now at Christchurch, New Zealand, and after completing her survey work in that vicinity, she is expected to sail for Callao. The Galilee has completed survey work in the northern part of the Pacific Ocean, and since August, 1905, when the expedition started out, has cruised about 55,000 miles from the Aleutian Islands to Christchurch. The object of the investigation is to ascertain the magnetic variation in various parts of the ocean for the information of mariners and for the correction of the existing charts.

The battleship fleet will arrive at Callao on February 18, and will remain there until February 25. The Galilee will probably avoid that port until after the departure of the battleship fleet because of the fact that the delicate magnetic instruments she carries would be seriously deranged should the yacht approach too near to the battleship fleet. The Galilee will reach San Francisco next May.—[Washington Post.

Made Real Golden Slipper.

The highest priced sandals that have ever been made, it is believed, have just been completed by a Lynn shoe firm for the use of a Boston Masonic lodge in ritualistic work. The sandals are valued at $1500, and are marvels in the art of shoemaking. In shape they are like the ordinary sandal, but they are made entirely of gold leaf, hundreds of thousands and probably millions of pieces of gold leaf going in the making. Gold leaf was used to make them as pliable as possible. The buckles are of solid gold. The sandals weigh a little less than three ounces each.—[Philadelphia Record.

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Charles F. Hudson, at the Brick Yards, Sacramento, was relieved of a monster tape worm, many yards in length.

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Hamburg .....Mar. 21|Moltke .....Apr. 23

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SCIENCE AND CONSUMPTION

Active work has been begun by the National Association for the Prevention of Tuberculosis to carry the work outlined by the recent Congress on Tuberculosis at Washington in September. It is believed possible to stamp out the disease, and prediction has been made that in a few generations consumption will be as rare as smallpox is now.

It is to everybody's interest to help this work by caring for the throat and health. Neglect of a cough or cold often the forerunner of more serious trouble. Every precaution should be taken to prevent a cold from developing in the lungs. To break up a cold and cure any cough that is curable there is nothing more effective than Ayer's Cherry Pectoral of Pine (pure.) This preparation possesses all the therapeutic virtues of Pine (pure.) This preparation has made the atmosphere of the pine forests noted for its healing effect in all diseases of the throat, lung and bronchial affections.

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If you are suffering from any form of itching skin disease, the worst case of eczema, to cure it is to go right after the trouble—to cure the skin trouble.

Thousands of patients have suffered for months in vain attempts to cure their blood when the trouble was bacilli feeding upon the skin and causing the unsightly blotches and sores.

Skin specialists now prescribe a simple liquid wash, easy to use, which gives instant relief. This remedy is composed of oil of wintergreen to which are added other valuable remedies. Oil of wintergreen alone will not cure, but a number of experts in Chicago, headed by a well-known specialist, experimented with various medicinal properties until they found the proper preparation. The result of their efforts is called D. D. D. Prescription, a sure specific for all forms of skin diseases.

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Kronprinz Wm. Apr. 21 | Kronprinz ....
Kaiser Wm. II Apr. 28 | Kaiser ....

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Main .....May 14 | P. Friedrich ....
*Bremen .....May 21 | Main ....

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NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

NOSES TO GROUND.

FFICERS SEEK LITTLE GIRL.

NTS SAY SHE'S KIDNAPED AND OFFER REWARD.

San Bernardino Sheriff and Score Detectives on Trail of Ontario Lads Who May Be in Los Angeles—"Butterfly" Tea Novel—Snow Falls in Business Streets.

SAN BERNARDINO, Feb. 12.—Mr. and Mrs. M. R. Proctor, wealthy residents of Minneapolis, are being sought by George Ralphs, who has a summons ordering them to appear before the Superior Court, with Mildred Schilb, a minor of age, whom they are charged with kidnaping. Deputy Sheriff Ralphs visited the winter home of the Proctors at Ontario, last night, and found the house empty.

The father of the little girl, is reported. He has offered a reward for the capture of the party and a score of detectives are on the trail, but up to 5 o'clock this afternoon neither they nor the police have been able to find any trace of the trio. Ontario people, with whom Mr. and Mrs. Proctor had been on more speaking terms, were loath to furnish any information, and most of them refused to talk.

It is said that the Proctors were regarded by people of mystery, and the child was never seen unaccompanied by one or the other. Those who tried to question the riddle were rebuffed. Mr. and Mrs. Proctor discouraged all questions concerning the child.

There was no disguising the intense affection with which the two elder folks showered for the little girl. It is said, and could be seen that she reciprocated this affection.

Efforts to assist the father were made by Ontario citizens, and it is learned that about the time they were securing his writ from the Superior Court here, under which the latter expected to wrest the child from the Proctors, the latter, accompanied by the girl, were seen to leave their home place and drive leisurely away.

It is three years that a mysterious woman and child took the train for Los Angeles at Chino. Proctor was then at the Ontario place later. It is believed that he drove to meet the child to the train at Chino, returned home and completed preparations for the flight, and then he, his wife and the girl at once left Ontario.

SENT TO PATTON.

Fred Ellis, erstwhile politician and man having headquarters for years at Needles, was committed to the Southern California State Hospital for Insane at Patton this afternoon, having been adjudged insane. He attempted to commit suicide at Los Angeles last week by insane demonstrations. Ellis, who was in the brokerage business in Needles, became violently insane a few weeks ago. He was brought here by his brother, Thomas Ellis, and has been under observation for several days at the County Hospital.

BURGLAR CONFESSES.

Frank Glass, professional burglar, who pleaded guilty to burglarizing the East Side Bank of Pasadena, has made a confession. He was caught red-handed and made a complete confession, admitting that he is weary of crime, but has the mania so strongly that as long as he remains at large he will follow the dangerous profession.

"BUTTERFLY" TEA.

A novel "butterfly" tea was given yesterday afternoon by Miss Gladys K. Parsons at her home, 418 E street in honor of Miss Marguerite Katz, whose engagement and marriage to Julian Stanton has just been announced. The guests were dressed as butterflies, with wings and in many other ways carried out the butterfly conceit carried out.

SNOW KNOW FOR BATTLE.

Several feet of snow was hauled from the mountains today and furnished ammunition for a snowball battle in the business district, the first in many years. The snowballs came from down the mountains, the outskirts of the "beautiful" valley to a depth of over a foot.

DAMAGE FROM WIND.

The warm wind from the snow has kept the mercury very low in the valley today, and preceded another rainstorm. Along the coast there have been frequent storms of late. The wind has interfered with telephone business to a great degree, and given trouble to the telegraph companies, whose sections going down.

SEVERAL FEET OF SNOW.

Redlands is Bower of Greenery and Valley is Deeply Carpeted with "the Beautiful."

REDLANDS, Feb. 12.—Snow in great quantities still remains on the peaks above the Redlands and reports from the more isolated sections, from Bear Valley and beyond, are to the effect that it is so deep that travel is practically impossible. During the recent storm nineteen inches of snow fell, added to what remained from the former storm, made a depth on the level. Roads are impassable, trails are blocked and on account of this the rangers are unable to do much grubbing and trail work.

In the valley, the weather is warm and shining brightly all day. The valley never looked more beautiful and hundreds of tourists are taking advantage of the novelty of viewing the valley from a bower of greenery.

MINE WILL INVEST.

Frank Darrow, who successfully operated a mine here, has been visiting with his friend, Mr. and Mrs. Darrow and Mr. and Mrs. George Biggin.

Mr. Darrow has a wonderful memory, and Mr. Biggin told of their boyhood days in Los Angeles. The men had not seen each other for twenty-seven years, and Mr. Darrow had lost all trace of his old school chum. While in the hotel lobby, Mr. Darrow was on his way out and slapping Mr. Biggin on the back, said: "Why, hello Biggin!" Not impressed with this familiarity, Mr. Biggin, he exclaimed: "Why, next winter, buy an orange grove and spend the winter here as his professional friend, Mr. Darrow, too, is a lawyer."

PERSONAL NOTES.

Miss Edwards, instructor in the High School, addressed the Men's League of the Presbyterian Church last evening on conditions in South America, and how the continent came to be free from Spanish rule.

George W. Hopkins, of the Southern California Colonization Bureau, brought here yesterday a number of Los Angeles and San Francisco capitalists who are interested in the Yucaipa Valley enterprise.

While Miss Alice Preston was attempting to crank her little Ford runabout yesterday, in front of the First National Bank, the machine caught fire, probably from leaking gasoline, and in a moment was enveloped in flames. These were put out before the machine was badly burned.

La Casa Loma arrivals are: Mr. and Mrs. Murray Wick and child, Elyria, O.; Mrs. A. M. Brady, Nettie A. Barman, Margaret Dupay, Mrs. James A. Sexton, Miss Laura A. Sexton, Miss Mabel M. Sexton, Miss Leola A. Sexton, Miss Edith M. Sexton, Miss Alice D. Sexton, Maurice Pineoff, Chicago; Mr. and Mrs. M. B. Kingsbury, Hollywood; H. N. Haynes, H. J. Royal, Mr. and Mrs. L. J. C. Spruance, J. A. Crandall, Frank Herron, Los Angeles; Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Kaper, Covington, Ct.; A. E. Marble, Cheyenne, Wyo.; Mrs. J. A. Mitchell, Myra A. Mitchell, Riverside, Ill.; Mrs. G. Hargreaves, Miss Hargreaves, Detroit; Mr. and Mrs. Henry Mier, Elyria, O.; Rev. H. G. Clinton, Vancouver, B. C.; F. W. Sargent, New York; C. C. Josely, Minneapolis.

SEALING SCHOONER WRECKED.

British Columbia Vessel Battered to Pieces but Crew Saved and Brought to Santa Barbara.

SANTA BARBARA, Feb. 12.—Capt. Joseph Lamp and his crew of eight men of the seventeen-ton sailing schooner Ella G., of Victoria, B. C., were landed here today by the power schooner Baltic, and tell of the wreck of their vessel at Beecher's Bay, Santa Rosa Island, February 2.

The vessel was a sealer, chartered by the captain, and left Victoria November 14. She ran into a succession of southeast gales in a month's sail to the Farallone Islands, where they took forty-two seals.

On January 25, just south of Monterey, their rudder snapped off and, rudderless, they sailed for Santa Rosa, reaching there January 31, experiencing storms all the way. Double cables were dropped, but before daylight on February 2 these snapped in the gale and the ship was beaten ashore and battered to pieces against the bluff.

The men escaped in two boats and managed to reach shore safely, going to Santa Cruz Island and from thence were brought here. They have notified the British Consul in Los Angeles of their predicament.

FOR EL CAMINO REAL.

Recommended by former Government Expert A. E. Loder of the Los Angeles county engineering force, Daniel H. Dickinson of Boston, an expert in the employ of the Massachusetts Highway Commission, has been asked to take the work of finding a route for El Camino Real through this county. Mr. Loder brought Mr. Dickinson here yesterday, and there followed a conference with the local Highway Commissioners, George S. Edwards of this city; John Parker of Santa Ynez and G. L. Trott of Santa Maria. Mr. Dickinson stated that if he could secure a leave of absence for six months from the Massachusetts commission he would be glad to accept the local office. The work will entail a great deal of labor and long surveys, besides tours over the county roads. There is a strong fight being made by the various sections wanting the new road through their districts. Lompoc and its whole rich agricultural valley wants the road for an outlet into somewhere for its produce. On the other hand, Santa Maria, Orcutt, Los Alamos, Los Olivos and Santa Ynez favor the route by the Gaviota road, or coast highway.

Most for the money at Coronado.

SANTA ANA.

SANTA ANA, Feb. 12.—Superior Judge Z. B. West today gave a decision upholding the warrants of the board of directors of the Newbert Protection district, and ordered that a writ of mandate be given to County Treasurer J. C. Joplin, commanding him to pay a $500 warrant given E. E. Keech for legal services to the district. The County Treasurer will not make the payment until the case is appealed to the Supreme Court. He is represented by attorneys, who are making a fight against the legality of the Newbert Protection District, formed to dike the Santa Ana River.

At a meeting of men interested in the formation of a Y.M.C.A. in this city it was decided to start a campaign to secure a lot and erect upon it a $20,000 building. W. M. Scott, Edward Tedford and J. P. Baumgartner were given authority to select four other men to act with them as an Executive committee to have charge of the work. The first step will be the solicitation for five-year memberships.

An inquest was held today on the bodies of Thomas Shea and James Bewes, who were killed in the wreck at Horseshoe Bend yesterday morning. The testimony showed that Civil Engineer R. B. Ball, who had turned the water into the ravine that broke through a fill and caused the track to sink, did so after carefully testing the dam and after taking other expert engineering advice. He said that he watched the dam for any seepage. A gopher hole is credited with being the cause of the wreck that ended in the death of Shea and Bewes.

Marriage licenses have been issued to Harry L. Reinhart, aged 21, and Anna Culp, aged 29, both of Los Angeles; Ruell E. Adams, aged 24, and Henrietta E. Crandall, aged 24, both of Los Angeles; Fred Kordt, aged 41, and Helena Wohlgemuth, aged 33, both of Anaheim; John T. Wootan, aged 36, and Margaret E. Kirkpatrick aged 28, both of Los Angeles; George Clarence Metcalf, aged 46, of Cleveland, O., and Flora Horton Metcalf, aged 35, of Willoughby, O. The latter bride was the widow of Metcalf's cousin.

EATS TOADSTOOLS, DEAD.

VENTURA, Feb. 12.—J. H. Verdugo a Mexican, aged 32 years, died today at noon at the County Hospital from eating toadstools. Another Mexican, a companion of the dead man, named Rosando, is at the hospital in a serious condition. The men were chopping wood on the Santa Ana ranch and on Monday evening gathered and cooked and ate a quantity of the poisonous fungi. They both became ill. The rainstorm of Sunday had caused the Ventura River to rise, and though every effort was made to get a doctor to go to the aid of the men from this city, none could reach them because of the high water. When the water had sufficiently subsided in the river the two poisoned men were put into a wagon and brought to this city.

Dr. D. W. Mott of Santa Paula, this county, will be in the field this fall as a candidate for State Senator in the district comprising Santa Barbara and Ventura counties, and to succeed Senator Greenwall, who has withdrawn, and who was, last election, a candidate from Santa Barbara. Dr. Mott has always taken a prominent part in political affairs and is very popular in all circles.

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DIES IN LONELY MOUNTAIN HUT.

PATHETIC PASSING OF HERMIT LOVED BY CAMPERS.

Party of Hunters from Riverside Finds Old Man Prostrate on Floor of Cabin, Freezing and Ill—Mystery of Solitary Life Unsolved—Fruit Shipments.

RIVERSIDE, Feb. 12.—As the result of exposure to the bleak winds and snow of the San Jacinto Mountains, M. M. Onstott, who is known to perhaps every camper in this part of the State, died at his lonely mountain cabin. Word was received yesterday of the passing of the old man, who had lived the life of a hermit as far back as the memory of his oldest friends goes.

A few days ago a party of hunters from the valley went on a camping trip to the mountains and stopped at the Onstott cabin. There they found the old man prostrate on the floor and almost dead from cold and lack of the remedies needed in his illness. The visitors started a fire and did everything possible to revive him. Then one of their number returned down the mountain grade to San Jacinto for a physician. Pneumonia set in and although the doctor made a swift race with death, he arrived too late.

Onstott lived on a secluded ranch two miles north of Keen camp. He had a thorough education, was a most interesting conversationalist and was liked by every one who knew him.

Why he chose to live alone in the solitude of the mountains was always a mystery to his many friends. The body was taken to San Jacinto yesterday.

FRUIT STATISTICS.

The unsettled weather and the soft condition of the soil have interfered with orange picking. As a result, only 130 carloads of that fruit and seven carloads of lemons were shipped East in the past week. The total shipments of citrus fruit for the season to date are 819 carloads of oranges and 108 of lemons. This is 149 carloads behind the record of last year's shipments.

The Caledonian Society elected these officers, last evening: Robert McFarlane, president; David Irvine, vice-president; J. C. Dalgliah, secretary; Peter Munro, treasurer; W. E. Conning, sergeant-at-arms, and J. T. Somerville, Gordon Wimpress and John Miller, Finance Committee.

SHE SUES FOR DIVORCE.

On the ground of willful neglect and failure to provide, Mrs. Ethel L. Schaeffer has filed an action for divorce from Thomas L. Schaeffer in the Superior Court.

Naval receptions frequent at Coronado.

ELSINORE HOTEL TO BE SOLD.

ELSINORE, Feb. 12.—An engine, wrecked by a soft track near Terracota, has tied up the Alberhil spur for the last two days. No one was hurt.

Mrs. Charles Townsend of Colton has been called here by the dangerous illness of her mother, Mrs. John Timmis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. N. Gardner and son and Monte Cambern, all of Tacoma, Wash., are guests at the Lakeview. Mr. Gardner has an option on the hotel property, which includes the Crescent bath-house. The sale will be completed on March 10. The reported price is $36,000.

Rev. W. F. Johnson of Riverside is the guest of Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Ramsdale of Grand avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Dutton of Los Angeles are here for two weeks.

Among arrivals at Hotel Bundy are: Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Haven, Monrovia; C. G. George, B. Fich, Mrs. B. M. Hambly, Pomona; J. Geel, Redlands; F. M. Meester, E. F. King, Los Angeles; Gus Allen, San Francisco; Mrs. F. A. Burrows, J. B. Gawan, San Francisco.

At the Lakeview are: B. W. Smith, Charles M. Harth, James F. Harth, Redlands; D. H. Garden, South Oceanside; Fred W. Esgen, T. W. Thompson, Los Angeles; Frank Dodge, Ross, Cal.; Foster Roswell and William Coleman Rodgers, Riverside.

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CONSUL IS REMOVED.

Mexican Government Relieves San Diego Official Who Is Ignorant of Charges Against Him.

SAN DIEGO, Feb. 12.—Private advice received from the City of Mexico states that Col. J. Diaz Prieto, resident Mexican Consul, has been removed from office as the result of complaints by local Mexican citizens as to the discharge of his official duties.

Just what the charges are is not learned. Col. Prieto states that he knows nothing whatever about the matter and declines even to discuss it. He has represented the Mexican government in this city about three years. The marriage of his only daughter, Anna Amanda, to A. E. Lillicrop, an employé of the Western Salt Works, was an event of recent date.

SAN DIEGO NOTES.

Acting under the advice of the City Attorney, the City Auditing Committee has disallowed the claim of L. E. Dadmun for $125 as special prosecutor for the month of January.

News has been received that Jeffrey Keyes, son fo Col. A. S. B. Keyes, U.S.A., retired, has been appointed to entrance in the United States government Military Academy at West Point. He is a senior at the High School, captain of the football eleven, a member of the baseball and track teams and one of the best all-around athletes of the school. He will go East to take his examinations February 24.

The Del Mar Water, Light and Power Company has filed articles of incorporation. The directors are H. W. Keller, H. E. Huntington, William G. Kerckhoff and V. A. Canfield of Los Angeles and E. Fletcher of San Diego.

Five carloads of material have arrived for the naval coaling station at Point Loma. Fifteen huge cylinders are included. Work was commenced today on the temporary wharf.

A new grove of the Order of Druids was instituted tonight by G. H. Bertram, Noble Grand Arch, and H. Freudenthal, Supreme Secretary.

Over $7000 has been subscribed for the entertainment of the battleship fleet. Col. D. C. Collier, chairman of the general committee, has appointed C. L. Williams, cashier of the American National Bank, as treasurer. The other committeemen are G. A. Davidson, president of the Southern Trust and Savings Bank; Col. L. S. McLure and Horace B. Day. Headquarters have been opened in the Union building.

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Demonstrations are being made by the Experts nightly. Last night several, who have been deaf for years were made to hear in three minutes' time. Mr. Lardy, who lives at 2316 Enterprise street, was so benefited after one application that he told the people publicly of his benefit and appreciation.

Mr. Sutter of 918 East 12th street, deaf for two years, was greatly relieved in three minutes' time.

Mr. W. D. Laird, living at 536 Phophet street, who has been partially deaf since he was seven years old, was made to hear a whisper in three minutes.

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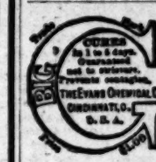

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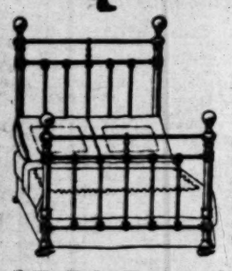

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We have just received this big purchase of beds, couches, springs and mattresses, comprising the "surplus stock" and "floor samples" of two large factories; the purchase price is nearly one-third less than the regular jobbing value, and fully one-half less than the price for which these goods were made to sell at retail; you can easily figure that your savings on whatever you purchase at this sale will average near to half; house-cleaning time will soon be here, and this sale presents exceptional opportunities, not alone for the housewife with only a need of one or two pieces of furniture—but to those as well who have homes to furnish throughout; anticipating a demand for carpets and rugs, we have added a number of these lines of merchandise, and we feel positive that when you see the goods you will agree with us that they are the greatest values in house furnishings we have ever featured, which, as a matter of course, means the greatest values ever offered in the city. Basement.

$7.50 Iron Bed Steads at $4.85

Have high head and foot board, deep extended foot; solid brass posts with heavy brass mounts; all steel chills and joints; all sizes.

$3.00 All Steel Springs $1.95

The only absolutely sanitary bed spring made; strongly woven wire top, supported by 90 heavy japanned spiral steel springs.

$4.00 Reversible Mattress $3

Has heavy cotton top and bottom; are reversible, covered with heavy striped ticking; a dollar underpriced.

$2 Solid Oak Dining Chair $1.39

High back, with heavy veneered seat; embossed top panel and well-braced arms; an exceptional value.

$4 Solid Oak Mission Chair $2.50

This chair is the same as shown in the picture; heavy frame of solid oak; specially suitable for living-room or den; there are only a limited number of these, so if you want one be among the early shoppers.

$12 Tufted Bed Lounge, $8.98

Covered with beautiful figured velour; has spring seat and head with drop back; when opened up makes a complete bed, and can be used as lounge or couch during the day.

$5 Box Couch 6 Ft. Long, $3.50

Has heavy spring seat; 30 inches wide and full six feet in length; can be used as bed at night; is fitted with turned legs and casters.

85c Kitchen Chairs, 65c

Have heavy wood seat, high back with nicely embossed top panel; fine golden oak finish.

February "Trade Sale" Linens

New Lots Brought Forward for Each Day's Selling
Four Extra Special Values for the Fourth Day

49c **For Dozen Bleached Loom Dice Napkins** 49c

16x16 inches in size; nicely hemmed, ready for use; are a good quality; an exceptional opportunity for restaurants.

$1.25 Bleached Table Damask Yard 75c

75 pieces full bleached table linen; 70 inches wide; absolutely pure flax.

$5.00 Dozen Hemstitched Napkins, Each 25c

50 dozen hemstitched German linen napkins; 19x19 inches; from sets of which the cloths have been sold.

15c Bleached Crash Toweling, Yard 8 1-3c

1000 yards fine quality homespun crash; 18 inches wide.

$1.25 BLEACHED TABLE DAMASK YARD	75c	$6.50 DAMASK PATTERN CLOTH AT	$5.00
$6 HEMSTITCHED DAMASK SETS	$4.50	60c FULL BLEACHED UNION LINEN, YARD	50c
$1 AND $1.25 HEMSTITCHED ART LINENS	50c	75c GERMAN SILVER DAMASK	65c
$5 DOZEN HEMSTITCHED NAPKINS, EACH	25c	25c FRINGED BATH TOWELS AT EACH	19c
$2.50 IRISH LINEN NAPKINS, DOZEN	$2	35c HEMSTITCHED TOWELS AT	25c
$3.75 LINEN DINNER NAPKINS, DOZEN	$3	15c ABSORBENT HUCK TOWELS	12 1-2c
$2 HEMSTITCHED PATTERN CLOTH	$1.59	60c TURKISH BATH MATS	50c
$3.50 DAMASK PATTERN CLOTH	$2.75	15c BLEACHED CRASH TOWELING, YARD	8 1-3c

3000 Pieces Undermuslins, Choice 50c

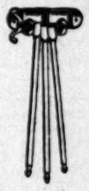
Regular Values to $1.25 Included

3000 pieces of dainty undermuslins to sell Thursday at one-third, one-half and less than half regular price; of the finest materials in hundreds of different styles, trimmed with dainty and serviceable laces, inserting and embroideries; the lot includes "gowns," "chemise," "short skirts," "corset covers" and drawers;" not a garment in the lot worth less than 75c, while the majority of them are regular $1 and $1.25 values.

"Trade Sale" Nickeled Ware

Special Offerings to Interest Every Housewife—Prices Named for Thursday Nearly a Third Less Than Regular

35c Nickeled Teapots, copper bottoms.....25c
49c Nickeled Coffee Pots, copper bottoms...35c
$1.19 "Marion Harland" tea or coffee pot....90c
$1.49 "Marion Harland" tea or coffee pot...$1.19
39c Nickeled Crumb Tray and Brush at.....29c
10c Nickeled Tea Strainer with black handle..5c



19c Nickeled Match Safe with lid, at.....
25c 12-inch Round Nickeled Tray.....
35c 14-inch Round Nickeled Tray.....
19c Nickeled Tea Ball on chain at.....
25c Medium size Nickeled Call Bell.....
15c Nickeled Pancake Turner or Egg Lifter

$55 "Art Loom" Wilton Rugs--9x12 Ft..... $37.50

These rugs are without any exception the finest genuine oriental floor coverings, and this assortment at the special price named is a number of the most beautiful and artistic designs and colorings; are the famous "art loom" Wilton rugs woven in one solid piece and for beauty and durability have no equal; remember the price named on these rugs is for one day only—Thursday.

$1.75 Brussels---Axminster---Wilton Carpets $1.00

As a special flyer for Thursday we are placing on sale every odd roll of Bigelow body Brussels, Axminster and Wilton carpets worth regularly to $1.75 yard; are in the best colorings and designs and patterns suitable for any room; be sure and bring the exact size of your room, as it will be impossible for us to get duplicates of any of these carpets; remember, choice of any of the entire lot at the price named—one dollar.

Fourth Floor.

Hamburger's Hamburger's Hamburger's Hamburger's Hamburger's (WHAT OTHERS ADVERTISE, WE SELL FOR LESS.) Hamburger's Hamburger's Hamburger's Hamburger's

HILL RISE.

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CHAPTER XXIV.

Day by day the popularity of Crunden was waxing. The lower his fortunes fell, the higher he rose in public favor. All prated of his success; confounding him perhaps with the omnipotent London and Suburban, not remembering which were his houses and which the company's, only caring for the fact that a new town had sprung into life on the Hill, and that trade was booming. But to Crunden it seemed that fate was mocking him, was driving him on to ruin amidst a chorus of ironical praise.

"There is something in the wind," said Mr. Hope of the Advertiser. "You saw my last article on Municipal Dignity?—well; a whisper in your ear, Mr. Crunden. It has been mooted—to invite you to act as Mayor."

"Gammon," said Mr. Crunden.

"The project has been mooted," said Mr. Hope, with great importance. "It is men of your stamp that we want—men of wealth who can entertain—and worthily uphold the municipal dignity. Our Mayors have been poor little men of late—we want big men like yourself."

"Oh, that's just gammon. I'm not even on the Council."

"It is unusual," said Mr. Hope pompously, "to go outside the Council for a Mayor, but it has been done again and again—as in the case of these lords and the large towns—the Duke of Norfolk—the Marquess of Bute—and many other noblemen possessing urban territory."

Mr. Crunden told Jack of this conversation, and sadly confessed that the possibility of such an honor would once have been very welcome.

"It is a thing that I would have liked, sir—been very proud of—once. But if they offered to make me Pope now—it would come too late. . . . Who's that passed the window? Not that Padfield again?"

Day after day at King's Cottage they were worried with visitors. People wasted the workers' time—in silly politeness, or because of their own stupid affairs. And ever since Mrs. Dowling's explosive entrance, the nerves of Crunden and his clerk had been shaky; they dreaded callers and started at the sound of bell or knocker.

Mr. Charles Padfield was of late a much-dreaded time-waster. He worried Lizzie by attention whenever she met him out walking. "Which way you going, Miss Crunden? I don't mind which way I go. What? Going home? Then I'll walk with you—and look in on old Jack." And Mr. Padfield, vacuously leering, would pay almost insipid and undesired compliments.

"How well you're looking, Miss Crunden. I never saw you looking so well. How fast you walk. D'you ever go to the theater? Why couldn't you get up—theater party—eh?"

One could only suppose that Mr. Padfield, looking about him vacantly, had decided that Miss Crunden was, in the old phrase, well worth following up. He certainly followed her whenever he saw her in public places, and even followed her into the shelter and privacy of home.

"Hallo, Jack. I must be goin'! Just escorted Miss Crunden. How're you getting on—rakin' in the dollars, eh? Why don't you build a hotel, and cut out the White Hart? Got a cigarette—have you? . . . Very well, I won't smoke in here. I must be off."

Without telling Mr. Padfield to go, it was almost impossible to make him go—although he was always promising to do so.

Jack was extraordinarily busy—mysteriously occupied from morning till night, thoughtful, absent-minded. He was in fact attempting a task of the most ambitious character. He had said to Crunden: "It sounds rather cheek, sir, but may I try to make a scheme now—a getting-out scheme. I don't want to speak of it to old Dowling. But let me see if I can make it solid and then put it before you—and him. I don't suppose there'll be anything in it—and yet I can't help thinking I see daylight."

"Do you, sir? I doubt it—but try. Yes, try what you like—so long as you don't let folks guess how we stand."

"Give me a week," said Jack. "Give me a week—clear from today—and I'll report progress. I promise I won't do any harm—if I don't do any good."

More letters came for Mr. Vincent now than for Mr. Crunden. In this week it was as if the clerk had become the principal. He hurried hither and thither, round and round the town—up to London before breakfast, back in Medford before dinner. He sat at his desk for long hours, covered his table with prodigious masses of papers—plans, lists, schedules—that Mrs. Price and the maid were forbidden to touch; as he sat writing he would not answer when you spoke to him; when you thought he was at last coming to a meal, he sprang up, snatched his hat, and dashed out of the house. He had thought for nothing beyond his new work. Visitors now made him very irritable; the Crundens left him unmolested, but visitors seemed to conspire to stop him in his mysterious efforts.

"Mother dear, I'm so busy—forgive me." Lady Vincent had come to the cottage, but he would not get out of his chair to talk with his mamma. He would scarcely look round. "I'll dine with you next week—any day, you like. Forgive me for the moment;" and he went on working.

Her ladyship, awestruck by such unremitting and stupendous labor, talked to Lizzie in the adjoining room.

"Is he always like that now?" asked Lady Vincent solicitously.

"Almost always," said Lizzie. "He is engaged on something special—for my father; and he cannot bear being interrupted. Father says it will only go on for a week.

"A week? But that is a long time. His health may break down in a week. Do urge him to be careful. This working at a high pressure must be dangerous.

"I was going to tell him," Lady Vincent added, "that we are in the very greatest anxiety about our poor Cousin Harriet. There has been a startling change in her condition and the doctors take the gravest view. My husband expects a summons from Bournemouth. . . . That was all, Miss Crunden—don't worry Jack about it. I will not sadden him with our sad thoughts—while he is working in this manner."

The visit of his mamma was the first slight interruption Jack suffered that day; but there were worse interruptions before the day was over. Indeed his work was almost at a standstill; it was nearly a whole day stolen from the covenanted week.

"Miss Lizzie," said Mrs. Price, in the hall, after Lady Vincent had gone, "there's somebody in there with him. I believe it's that Mr. Padfield again. It is too bad. Can't you go in and take him away on some excuse?"

But Lizzie dreaded Mr. Padfield so much that she could not at once venture to the rescue.

"Sold all your houses yet?" Mr. Padfield was saying.

"No, not all. Have you come to buy one?"

Jack had explained that he was very busy, and with considerable irritation had begged Mr. Padfield to state briefly what he wanted.

"If I was thinking of gettin' married," said Mr. Padfield, stupidly regarding the picture of a decoy house, "I suppose I might give you a turn, Jack, old chap."

"Well, there you are," said Jack, pointing with his pen at the picture. "If you're looking out for a snug little box—marry, and put your nice little wife in it."

"Why don't you marry yourself and put your wife in the box?"

"Oh, I'm a working man. I couldn't aspire to as fine a house as that."

"Well, I must be off."

"Yes, do get on. You see I'm up to my eyes——"

But then Charlie Padfield, glancing stupidly at the parlor door, began to make inquiries for Miss Crunden.

"How well she's looking, Jack. Quite tip-top;" and he paid Miss Crunden some liberal compliments.

"Yes, she is very well, thank you," said Jack shortly.

"Jack, old boy, I used to think what a lucky chap you were—up here. But you're quite off that, aren't you? You've got Jessie Barter—and the field is clear in this direction, isn't it? No offense now, if I follow it up."

And then Jack completely lost his temper.

"You can't want them both," Charlie Padfield was proceeding with vacuous blandness, "I never followed up Jessie. But you might tell me this. I don't wish to waste any time. Lizzie is all right, isn't she?"

"Get out," roared Jack. His face was red; he had sprung up from his chair and was pointing at the lobby door.

"Get out before I kick you out."

"What say? What you mean, Jack?"

"I mean what I say. Get out—you dirty hound. And don't come back here unless you wish me to give you the thrashing you deserve for speaking like that of—of a lady you're not fit to speak of at all."

"What is it?" asked Lizzie, coming into the room presently. "I thought there was somebody here."

Jack was trembling with anger and excitement as he pretended to search among the ruffled papers on his table.

"Yes," he said with a gasp, "Miss Lizzie, there was some one, but he has gone."

"Was it that troublesome Mr. Padfield?"

"Yes, but he won't trouble me any more. He won't come back. I—I was very angry with him—about something—and I asked him not to come again. . . ."

"Did he promise not to?"

"No, he didn't promise; but I feel sure he won't. . . . And now," said Jack, sitting down, "If you don't mind—if you'll forgive me—I will try to get on with what I was doing. I should like to talk—but I really mustn't."

The next serious interruption was just after early dinner. Lizzie, in the window, was reading, Mr. Crunden was smoking a pipe. Jack had returned to his table, when the ringing of the bell made every one jump.

"It's Mr. Hope," said Mrs. Price, showing a scared face at the parlor door, "and he seems out of his mind like. Asks to speak with you, miss; and the master. Shall I show him in?"

"Oh, don't have him here," begged Jack piteously.

But before anything more could be said, Mr. Hope was among them.

He was haggard, distraught, incoherent—all his pomposity and consequence gone from him—a limp, elderly weakling of a man, who sank into a chair as though his thin legs refused to bear him, and who spluttered and raved and moaned in affliction.

"Oh, Crunden—a father yourself! Oh, Miss Crunden—a daughter—a cherished daughter! Oh, Miss Crunden, you have heard—you know the fatal news! Help me if you can. Were you accessory? I never can believe that. Oh, no."

It was long before any one could make out the cause and nature of Mr. Hope's distress. But finally lucid information was extracted.

(To Be Continued Tomorrow.)

WOMEN'S WAYS.

THEY PROSPER IN BUSINESS.

WAYS IN WHICH WOMEN HAVE MADE THEIR WAY.

Miss Frazer Runs a Printing Office Successfully in New York While Another Woman Acts as Visiting Assistant for Families Going Away for the Summer.

Miss Virginia Frazer is a young woman in New York who is a practical printer and, as encouragement to others, she began the business without previous training. What used to be called by the rather rough phrase "horse sense," being put more rationally means courage, perseverance, good business sense and some other useful qualities, has made many men and women successful in whatever they tried to do. It was those qualities that made the father of "Joseph Vance" a successful contractor, though he himself knew nothing of building. It was similar gifts that made Miss Frazer run a printing office. To use her own words: "I bought and fitted up this printing office for a young relation. My intention was to do the office work until things got to running and then turn the business over to him." The young relation, as it often happens, was not inclined to bestir himself, and Miss Frazer had everything to do, from hiring printers to soliciting orders and learning the business. She did not know many things she needed to, but learned by her mistakes. One thing that showed her wisdom is the fact that she never employed boys or any cheap labor. She did not, as some do nowadays, employ women because she is a woman. She argued that printers of experience would be more useful to her than women hired for sentimental reasons, so she hired men, for she was simply doing business for business' sake.

Another woman of New York who makes a success is what she terms a "visiting assistant." It is her business to take all the responsibility of putting houses in order for families who are going out of town for the summer. She appears in due season and packs all the trunks that are to be carried to sea or mountain resort. When the family have gone out of the house she overhauls the bedding, sees that all soiled articles are cleaned, does needed mending and packs it away. She is helped in all her work by a colored woman; her daughter, an expert needle woman and a half-grown son, who does errands. In packing blankets she uses no obnoxious moth balls, but after cleaning and airing, she folds, wraps each in newspapers and ties them up; treats furs in the same fashion, except that a thick outside wrapping of brown paper, gummed together with mucilage, goes on last. Carpets and rugs are carefully beaten, carefully cleaned with white soap when soiled, sprinkled with moth sachet powder and again done up in the useful paper. When the tasks are finished—and, according to Miss Julia E. West, the "visiting assistant" referred to, she put to rights forty-seven houses in two months the past summer—she feels a pleasant assurance that the owners will find all their furnishings in good condition on their return in the fall.

A more simple and easier way to add to one's income is that indicated in the Circle, where there is an account of a young girl who had been wealthy, but found herself one day with an invalid mother and no means to support her or herself. But one day that happy chance that helps some came to her. She was making a pretty collar out of scraps of ribbon and lace, when another girl called who wished some one to make her collars. The rich-poor girl offered to do so, and she started in business without knowing it. Orders came without her solicitation, and when her town's resources were exhausted, she made up some collars in three different patterns, and with these samples presented herself to the presidents of two women's colleges in the large town a few miles away, and asked to be allowed to show her collars to the students. Permission granted, she found a fine market there, and then she began to look for novelties, and to watch sales where she might buy needed materials at a bargain. She never made the mistake of advertising in a college town. She held her market, and, so the Circle avers, before three years had passed she had four assistants and she did nothing but the general managing, taking and filling orders and shopping. There are thousands of paths that lead to fortune, but it requires either the happy chance or a keen eye to place one's feet securely on the trait. Once the path selected, all else is plain sailing.

French Women Writers.

There are 50,000 women of letters in France today—that is to say, women who have published books, who contribute to the magazines or who write professionally for the newspapers. Twenty years ago there were only about 1000.

It is estimated that in ten years more they will number at least 10,000. The present number of literary men—authors and journalists—is put at about 25,000.

Twenty years ago, the statistician figures out, women got 4 per cent. of the publishing in France. Today they get 20 per cent. of the copy in the periodicals. They write much of the daily papers, generally the articles. They not only write the magazines, but edit some of them, and many of them have places in the list of the best sellers.

Out of their increasing interest in literature has grown a demand for the election of women of the French Academy. One woman writing for every forty they argue, the men must give them one place among the immortals.

There are three seats vacant, and an agitation has begun in which practically all the women some of the men are interested in the election of a woman to one of the places. Francois Coppee, one of the most distinguished French writers, broke the ice of complacency to the extent of the academy's doors will be open to women. But so far Paris has failed to take the proposition seriously.

Model School Superintendent.

Miss Mabel Carney, who has been made the Superintendent of country school in Illinois, has a remarkable record. Three years ago when just out of school she began teaching school in Marquette, Ill. Her school and rural homes were poorly equipped. She attended and in attendance Miss Carney began to agitate the question of consolidation, and after months succeeded in getting it permitted to the voters. It was defeated on the first trial, but the next year, 1906, it was carried. Eighteen thousand dollars was voted for erecting for the consolidated school. With a public-spirited citizen who gave twenty-four acres of land for the campus. On this plan there was established an experimental agricultural school of the State, conducted in cooperation with the agricultural School of the State. There is a four-year course, with a liberal course. The children are brought to school in wagons at the expense of the district, and Miss Carney has the services of an engineer's union in matter of gaining a second tract of land for the improvement of the school. During the last summer people from the country schools came to Miss Carney's home to see her. They have since organized the Country Teachers' Association of Illinois, with Miss Carney as president.

The celebration of the fiftieth anniversary of the founding of the Vatican of the Immaculate Conception of St. John Christened is also noteworthy because it is the first time Americans of the United States participated in the celebration. This year 1434. Among those present were members of the Diplomatic Corps at Rome, representatives of the Italian aristocracy and a number of Italian prelates.